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REPERCUSSION AT HOME, ABROAD ON KCNA STATEMENT

SK140501 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0355 GMT 14 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 14 (KCNA)--The statement of the KOREAN CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY made public on October 12 in denunciation of the anti-communist row of the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique is now arousing a strong echo among people at home and abroad.

Yun Ku-sang, vice-director of a department of the Ministry of Foreign Trade, said:

Now the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique is running riot with a greater frenzy.

The traitor Chon Tu-hwan had better think of his towering crimes against the times and mankind before groundlessly taking issue with others.

Publishing a "statement" and issuing an "emergency alert order," the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique is leading the situation of the country to the highest pitch of strain. This is an unpardonable challenge to the Korean people eagerly desirous of the independent and peaceful reunification of the country and to the conscience of the progressive mankind of the world who love justice and truth.

The traitor Chon Tu-hwan is a fascist butcher who has made a practise of suppressing people and committing murder, destruction and war, taking anti-communism as his life-long slogan.

The Kwangju massacre unprecedented in history was also committed by him and a large number of democrats and opposition politicians of South Korea were jailed or murdered mercilessly by him.

Chon Tu-hwan, a colonial traitor, who is unconcerned for the destiny of the country and the nation, has introduced a large quantity of nuclear weapons into South Korea to convert it into a nuclear store-house.

A special-class watch dog of the U.S. imperialists, he has played the role of shock force in stamping out the national liberation struggle in colonies, regarding the struggle of the world's progressive people for independence, sovereignty and peace as a thorn in his flesh and going against the times.

This traitor has gone so far as to try to worm into the Non-Aligned Movement to create alienation and confrontation, making ridiculous talk with flowery words on the order of his master.

This is why world public opinion ridicules and denounces in unison his schemes.

No matter how frantically he may kick up a row, taking issue with us, no one of normal sense of judgement would ever listen to the sophism of this fool reversing black and white.

Fraud and fabrication are the way of the doomed for prolonging their days.

If the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique persistently leads the situation of our country to an irredeemable phase on a preposterous pretext, it would be held wholly responsible for all the grave consequences arising therefrom to take a bitterer cup.

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NODONG SINMUN ON FIRST BATCH OF SEOUL-TOKYO \$4 BILLION LOAN

SK101622 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1530 GMT 10 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--NODONG SINMUN today comments on the signing on October 7 of a contract on the first year instalment of the 4,000 million dollar "security" loan promised by the Japanese reactionary ruling quarters to the South Korean puppets.

Though the Japanese reactionaries, says the commentary, are disguising this loan as an "economic aid," this is a foolish artifice for concealing its aggressive nature. It is, to all intents and purposes, a military fund for driving the South Korean puppets into a war.

The author of the commentary continues:

The South Korean puppets are working desperately to keep Korea divided forever and thereby gratify their desire for long-term office and ignite a new war. For this purpose, they had country-selling dealings with their old master without hesitation, nestling closer to his bosom. It is a foregone conclusion that the South Korean puppets will increase military appropriations by the size of the money they receive from Japan and get more frantic in war preparations.

A sinister intention of the Japanese reactionaries is hidden behind the 4,000 million dollars. The Japanese reactionaries scheme to unfold in Korea the opening scene of their imperialist overseas military aggression.

The Japanese militarists who have already made a deep economic intrusion into South Korea intend to satisfy their expansionist desire without much difficulty by tightening military tieup with the puppets. The Japanese reactionaries regard loan as one of its means.

When 4,000 million dollars flow into South Korea, it will inevitably be completely placed under the military control of Japan and the Japanese reactionaries will widen their road of reinvasion.

And it must not be overlooked that this loan is a major lever for rounding off the triangular military alliance system among the United States, Japan and South Korea. The U.S. imperialists plan to hasten the completion of

this system by strengthening military compact between Japan and South Korea with the former's "security" loan to the latter.

Traitor Chon Tu-hwan should discontinue new war preparations and treacheries and the Japanese reactionaries renounce their reinvasion designs on Korea.

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KCNA ON OVERSEAS KOREANS' PAPER DENOUNCING U.S.

SK101659 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1556 GMT 10 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--A recent issue of "Uri Nara," a newspaper of Koreans published in West Germany, carried an article by an overseas Korean Song Sang-sun denouncing the U.S. imperialists' occupation of South Korea and expressing ardent desire for national reunification.

It is the lot of the South Korean people today to be subjected to national humiliation under the domination of the United States for protracted 38 years longer than the 36 years of colonial rule of the Japanese imperialists, the author said, and continued:

Our fellow countrymen who had experienced the acute pains of the wounds inflicted upon them by the Japanese imperialists in the past know only too well what the United States imposes upon them.

One of the young people who set fire to the "American Cultural Centre," answering the question of a judicial officer at the court why he had committed such awful act, said:

"It is the United States which made me stand here. Could I do such a thing, had it not been for the United States?"

Well said, As he said, such incident would not have occurred, had there been no "American Cultural Centre" and had the United States not held power on this land to become an object of the curses of the people. Discontent with and resistance to the United States' South Korean policy of domination drove them to such extreme. It was, indeed, admirable act overflowing with patriotic loyalty.

The author stressed:

The efforts of our fellow countrymen for genuine liberation, independence and unification will be redoubled on the basis of such ardent patriotic spirit and their flames will spread, beside "American Cultural Centres," to the top of the U.S. Embassy and U.S. command in South Korea to declare the termination of the U.S. domination of South Korea. There is no doubt in this.

It is our resolution not to waste time any more in destroying the pandemonium of the United States and achieving unification on its foundation.

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'HANMINTONG' EXTRAORDINARY MEETING HELD IN TOKYO

Report on Meeting

SK080427 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0408 GMT 8 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 8 (KCNA)--The 12th extraordinary meeting of the Central Committee of the "National Congress for the Restoration of Democracy in South Korea and the Promotion of Unification" (Hanmintong), a Koreans' organization under the influence of the "'ROK' Residents Association in Japan" ("Mindan"), was recently held in Tokyo, according to a KNS report.

An opening address of Kim Yong-won, vice-chairman of the Japan headquarters of "Hanmintong," was followed by speeches of Chairman Kim Chae-hwa and permanent advisor Pae Tong-ho.

Kwak Tong-ui, secretary general of the Japan headquarters of "Hanmintong," delivered a report of the Presidium reviewing the activities during the past 10 years.

Declaring that "Hanmintong" has played a big role in actively supporting the South Korean democratic forces and people in their valiant anti-dictatorial movement for democracy and advancing the movement for democracy and unification on the whole, he said:

Today 10 years after the formation of "Hanmintong" we find ourselves at an important juncture.

We drew many lessons from the bloody struggle in Kwangju.

In the history of the movement for democracy and unification in South Korea the Kwangju incident signified a new historical start of the struggle.

In a sea of blood the patriotic students and citizens of Kwangju cried: Now we see that the United States is behind Chon Tu-hwan.

The conclusion they drew for us was that our struggle against dictatorship and for democracy should be integrated with the struggle against outside forces. We ourselves are keenly conscious that the victory of democracy and unification is promised only on this road.

The reporter said that "Hanmintong" has warmly supported the patriotic action of students in setting fire to the "American Cultural Centre" in Pusan, urged by their national conscience, accusing the United States of its historical crimes in South Korea and calling for the Chajusong (independence) of the nation, and has conducted diverse activities for their rescue.

Referring to the fact that "Hanmintong" has fought under the banner of anti-outside, anti-dictatorship struggle in step with the development of the anti-outside, anti-U.S. struggle in South Korea, he continued:

We are now at a historical moment when our movement has developed into a high-dimensional anti-outside force struggle for national independence in the flames of the persistent struggle against fascism and for democracy. And we are filled with renewed confidence and determination to continue advancing towards final victory.

The achievement of national independence against outside forces is a request of the times and a supreme order of history which no one can ignore or look on with folded arms, Herein lie the road to democracy, the road to unification and the road to peace.

We should put a period to the history of disgrace in which we have entrusted our destiny to others and remained under the domination by outside forces, and develop by ourselves a new history of national independence and self-determination.

We have waged a struggle against fascism and for democracy over the last decade. We should wage a struggle against outside forces and for national independence in the decade ahead. Then we will surely open a new way out.

We must cut off the last windpipe of the Chon Tu-hwan military fascist group at all costs in the 1980s.

At the meeting the report was followed by speeches and the adoption of Declaration No. 2 containing a new programme on changing the course of "Hanmintong" from the former struggle for democracy to the line of national independence against outside forces and its revised rules.

Meeting Adopts Declaration

SK081053 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1032 GMT 8 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 8 (KCNA)--Declaration No. 2 containing a new fighting programme was adopted at the 12th extraordinary meeting of the Central Committee of the "National Congress for the Restoration of Democracy in South Korea and the Promotion of Unification" (Hanmintong) which was recently held in Tokyo, according to a KNS report.

The declaration says:

1. We define it as our basic line of the movement for national salvation to reject outside forces' domination and interference and restore national sovereignty.

We set it as the first goal of the struggle to eliminate foreign domination and establish national sovereignty by developing the past movement against dictatorship and for democracy to a new higher stage in keeping with the purpose of the national-salvation movement developing in depth in South Korea.

The main outside forces ruling South Korea is the United States.

We decisively oppose the United States' wrong South Korean policy and demand it to stop its political, economic and military support to the dictatorial "regime" and discontinue all its interference in the internal affairs of our nation including the question of unification.

We also oppose Japan's neo-colonial moves for reinvasion of South Korea.

We will do our utmost to break up the dark fusion between South Korea and Japan which is based on aggression and treachery.

To wage a powerful struggle against outside forces, it is necessary to form an anti-outside national united front.

2. We will continue struggling stubbornly for the overthrow of the fascist dictatorship and the establishment of a democratic coalition government.

While the anti-outside force struggle is a struggle for uprooting the forces manipulating the dictatorial "regime," the anti-dictatorship struggle is one for destroying the local machines of outside forces for ruling South Korea.

The successive "regimes" of South Korea have been anti-national, anti-democratic powers framed up by the outside forces and entirely dependent on their interests.

Along with the anti-outside force struggle for defending national independence, we will make all efforts to thoroughly overthrow the comprador forces within our nation and establish a democratic coalition government based on national independence and democratic principles.

3. We will do our level best in the struggle against the fixation of division and for the independent and peaceful unification of the country without foreign interference.

We should energetically conduct the movement for unification in close coordination with the struggle against outside forces and dictatorship.

The movement for unification and the movement for defending national sovereignty and the movement for democracy are tasks linked inseparably

to each other. The movement for unification, therefore, cannot be separated from the struggle against outside forces and dictatorship.

We will destroy the forces opposed to the nation, democracy and unification and eliminate outside interference which infringes upon the national independence and thereby open the road for unification.

4. We will actively promote the anti-war, anti-nuclear movement, turn the Korean peninsula into a nuclear-free zone and fix non-aligned neutrality and thus ensure world peace with might and main.

South Korea at present is a region fraught with the greatest danger of war in the world.

Accordingly, all foreign troops must be withdrawn from South Korea and it must never be allowed to introduce foreign troops or to set up foreign military bases and, particularly, nuclear weapons must be unconditionally and immediately withdrawn to turn the whole of the Korean peninsula into a nuclear-free zone.

We hold that an immediate end should be put to the moves to form a South Korea-U.S.-Japan three-way military system. We will further strengthen the struggle of solidarity with all the anti-war, anti-nuclear and peace movements in the world.

5. We will defend the national rights of Koreans in Japan and further strengthen solidarity with all the Koreans overseas in the struggle for democracy and unification.

We will strive harder to make the Japanese Government stop its national discrimination against and persecution of Korean residents in Japan and fully guarantee their rights as foreigners.

All such movements of ours can be successfully promoted only through international solidarity.

We will enlist support of all international organizations and constantly strengthen solidarity with the democratic political parties, organizations and personages of all countries in the world including Japan.

We will also strengthen still further our relations with the South Korean compatriots and democratic and patriotic forces in Americas, Europe and other parts of the world and make allout efforts to form an anti-outside force national united front with them.

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REPORTAGE ON OPPOSITION TO SEOUL IPU CONFERENCE

Peruvian Lawmakers Oppose Conference

SK070435 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0339 GMT 7 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--Seventeen Peruvian parliamentarians including Senators Enrique Bernales Balles and Rolando Brena Pantoja issued a statement in joint name in connection with the convocation of the 70th Conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union in Seoul, declaring that whatever decision might be adopted at the "Seoul conference," it would be of no consequence, but be an object of ridicule.

The statement says:

Lurking behind the desperate campaign of the South Korean authorities and the U.S. administration to hold the 70th IPU Conference in Seoul is their political purpose of making South Korea under the U.S. military occupation appear as an "independent state" and get it recognized in the world and have the permanent division of Korea recognized internationally. And they seek to conceal their plots for the provocation of a new war stepped up in South Korea.

It is hard to expect that such problems as decolonization, world peace and disarmament could be successfully discussed in South Korea which is under occupation of foreign troops and where human rights are violated more ruthlessly.

World Public Opposition

SK111104 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1016 GMT 11 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 11 (KCNA)--The 70th Conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union is opposed and rejected by political parties and social organisations of various countries of the world, international organisations and individual personages.

The Workers' Party of Switzerland, the Swiss Autonomous Socialist Party, the Swiss progressive organisations and the parliamentary group of the Jura Autonomous Socialist Party in their letter to the Swiss Committee of

the IPU stressed that the convocation of the IPU conference in South Korea where democracy is obliterated is an insult to justice and freedom.

Erwin Scharf, member of the Political Bureau, and secretary, of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Austria, in a statement said that the U.S. imperialists are scheming to have the South Korean puppets recognized internationally and create "two Koreas" through the 70th Conference of the IPU.

The International Lawyers Committee for Democracy and Human Rights in South Korea in an information to the governments, political parties and democratic lawyers organisations of all countries and various international organisations pointed out that in South Korea human rights are trampled underfoot and there exists no genuine parliament.

It noted:

The IPU is trying to have "delegates" of the Seoul authorities recognized officially, interfering in the internal affairs of the Korean nation.

No parliamentary group can blindly follow an organisation which bears responsibility for the preservation of world peace in partaking of the U.S. policy.

The African Regional Committee for Friendship and Solidarity With the Korean People in an appeal said: No matter what international problems may be discussed and what documents be adopted at the Seoul conference, they would be of no consequence and effect, because they are documents of a conference held in contravention of the international usage.

The Finland-Korea Association in a letter to the Finnish parliamentary group, the parliamentary groups of all political parties and all the parliamentarians stressed: The South Korean puppet clique are scheming to win international support through the 70th Conference of the IPU. It is evident that no success can be expected from the Seoul conference.

In a statement the Bangladesh-Korea Friendship Association pointed out: No matter what international problem may be discussed and documents be adopted at the filthy conference held in South Korea which has been a colony of U.S. imperialism for 40 years and is devoid of democratic constitution and democracy, they would be of no significance and effect, but be an object of ridicule.

The All India Indo-Korean Friendship Association and the Indian Committee for Supporting Korea's Reunification in a joint statement branded the 70th Inter-Parliamentary Conference being held owing to the intrigues of the U.S. imperialists and the Chon Tu-hwan clique as a despicable one. They called upon all parliaments and peoples of all countries of the world not to recognize any decision or document to be adopted at the conference.

In denunciation of the 70th IPU Conference, the Democratic People's Union and the United Socialist Party of France and the Barbados Group for the Study of the Chuche Idea of Comrade Kim Il-song respectively issued statements, five officials of the mission of the Salvadoran Farabundo Marti National Liberation Front in Cuba made public a statement in joint name and the Spanish Association for Friendship and Solidarity With the Korean People published an information.

Joint statements were also made public by the Communist Youth Federation of Paraguay at the Bureau of the World Federation of Democratic Youth, the Sudanese Youth Union, the Communist Youth Federation of Chile, the MPLA-Youth of the Party of Angola, permanent representatives of the Communist Youth Union of Venezuela and by the mission of the African National Congress of South Africa in Egypt and the mission of the South West Africa People's Organisation in Egypt and the Middle East and talks were issued by Yutaka Takeda, chairman of the Yamaguchi Prefectural, Japan, Union of Teachers, and Anil Gupta, editor of the Indian paper "Indian and World Event."

Broad segments of Japanese people including members of the Osaka City Assembly waged movements against the Seoul conference and meetings were held in different parts of Japan, at which resolutions denouncing the convocation in Seoul of the IPU Conference were adopted.

Foreign Media Cited

SK121106 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1043 GMT 12 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 12 (KCNA)--The Egyptian papers "Al Ahram," "Al Shaab" and "Egyptian Gazette" pointed out that it is the first time in the history of the Inter-Parliamentary Union that its conference is being held without the participation of all the socialist countries and many non-aligned countries.

The Syrian paper "Al Riyadah" in an article titled "Wrong Designation of the Conference's Venue Creating Crisis of the IPU" said: As its 70th conference is being held in Seoul, the IPU with a long history is faced with a serious crisis.

The Democratic Yemeni paper "Ath-Thawri" in an article headlined "70th Inter-Parliamentary Conference Is an Illegal One Which Lost Its Purpose" exposed the actual constitution of South Korea, a colony and military base of the U.S. imperialists. It is very ridiculous that the problems of world peace and security are discussed at a place where delegates' personal safety cannot be secured, it said.

The Indian paper "Patriot" noted that to convene an international conference in a desolate grave of democracy where everything is bound by the chains is an act as foolish as trying to find a flower in a ditch.

The Nicaraguan paper "Baricada" said: As dozens of countries have boycotted the conference held in South Korea, decisions to be adopted there would be of no consequence.

The Somali paper "Heegan," the Austrian paper "Oesterreichische Volksstimme" and the Nigerian paper "National Concord" published articles under the respective titles "Many Countries Boycott Seoul Conference of the IPU," "In Denunciation of IPU Conference Being Held in South Korea," and "IPU Driven Into Chaos."

The Austrian APA news agency published articles titled "Worthless International Conference Being Held in Seoul, Not Participated in by Many IPU Member Nations" and "Seoul Conference Rejected by Socialist Countries and Many Third World Countries and Socialist and Communist Parliamentarians of the West Countries."

The Mozambican paper "Noticias" and the Austrian papers "Arbeiter Zeitung" and "De Presse" also denounced the schemes of the U.S. imperialists and the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique to use the IPU Conference for their despicable political purpose.

Foreign Papers Condemn Meeting

SK130809 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0802 GMT 13 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 13 (KCNA)--Papers of various countries published articles denouncing the Seoul conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union.

The Polish paper "Trybuna Ludu" October 5 condemned the "two Koreas" plot of the U.S. imperialists and the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique, saying that South Korea is a complete colony of the United States.

As the U.S. imperialists are scheming to have South Korea recognized as an "independent state," parliamentarians of the socialist countries and many non-aligned countries boycotted the Seoul conference of the IPU.

Another Polish paper "Sztandar Mlodych" October 3 in an article said: The Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique is making desperate efforts to have South Korea recognized as an "independent state" in the international arena, clamoring about "cross recognition" and "simultaneous entry into the United Nations" and persistently obstructing the reunification of the country.

The Portuguese paper "O Diario" recently pointed out that Seoul was "designated" as the venue of the 70th Conference of the IPU owing to the United States. The United States is manoeuvring to realise the "two Koreas" strategy and form a triangular military alliance, the paper said.

The Danish paper "Land og Folk" October 2 carried a commentary denouncing the IPU Seoul conference.

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KCNA DENIES 'SPECIAL DIRECTIVES' TO CHONGNYON

SK071034 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1034 GMT 7 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--"Tongil Ilbo," a reptile anti-communist newspaper of the South Korean puppets published in Japan, spread a groundless report that we issued "special directives" to the General Association of Korean Residents in Japan (Chongnyon) to "infiltrate its operatives" into South Korea to frustrate the Conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union and Reagan's tour of South Korea. Denouncing this, a commentary of NODONG SINMUN today says this is a false report for misleading public opinion and an anti-communist smear campaign for vilifying us and Chongnyon.

The author of the commentary titled "Conspiratorial Propaganda of Anti-Communist Trumpeter Overseas" notes that slanders hurled at us and Chongnyon by "Tongil Ilbo" are extremely vicious and provocative ones.

The commentary says:

The fabricated report of "Tongil Ilbo" was dictated by the South Korean puppets.

Through "Tongil Ilbo" under the guise of a newspaper of Korean residents in Japan the South Korean puppets try to justify their deceptive argument on "threat of southward invasion" and make it appear credible.

But this is a ridiculous trick. The anti-communist nature of "Tongil Ilbo" has been brought to full light.

As for Yi Yong-kun, organizer and manager of the paper, he is a traitor who served the Japanese and U.S. imperialists alternately and human scum active as a special agent of the U.S. imperialists and the South Korean puppets. Besides Yi Yong-kun, there are many secret agents sent by the South Korean puppet clique in the newspaper.

"Tongil Ilbo" is a den of special agents of the South Korean puppets and a base of anti-communist conspiracy.

The Chon Tu-hwan clique hosted the Seoul Conference of the IPU to legalize its puppet regime and create an international climate for fabricating "two Koreas." But the conference has turned into a low-keyed meeting not worthy of the name owing to the opposition and rejection by the people and the boycott of many IPU member nations.

The scheme of the puppet clique to invite Reagan, the boss of U.S. imperialism, to Seoul next month and use his visit as a favorable occasion in realizing its wild ambition for long-term office is also strongly rejected by the South Korean people.

The situation is developing into an active struggle, as can be seen in the massive anti-"government" struggle of students and the explosion at the "American Cultural Centre" in Taegu. This has seized the Chon Tu-hwan group with extreme uneasiness and fear.

Frightened at this, this group is scheming to bring under control the crisis of its rule by connecting the ever intensified anti-U.S., anti-"government" action of South Korean students and people with us and harshly cracking down upon them.

It is precisely for this reason that this group is mobilizing even a conspiratorial organ overseas in the anti-communist propaganda, to say nothing of its machines in South Korea.

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DELEGATES TO UNGA SUPPORT REUNIFICATION

7 Oct Report

SK071210 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1012 GMT 7 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--Representatives of various countries to the 38th Session of the United Nations General Assembly, in their speeches at its plenary meeting, expressed full support to the Korean people's cause of national reunification, according to a report.

The minister of foreign affairs and cooperation of Togo, referring to the division of Korea, said that this is contradictory to the Korean people's desire for reunification.

The reunification proposal advanced by President Kim Il-song, he said, is the foundation for an end to the foreign interference in the internal affairs of Korea.

The coordinator of the Council of the Government of National Reconstruction of Nicaragua demanded the withdrawal of all foreign troops from South Korea and reiterated support to the reunification of Korea.

The prime minister of Mauritius stressed that the Korean question must be solved by the Korean people themselves and outside interference be rejected in seeking its solution.

The tragedy of national split forced upon the Korean people must be terminated at an early date, he stressed.

Noting that 30 years have passed since the ceasefire in Korea, the representative of Greece said that Korea must be reunified.

The Zambian foreign minister expressed support to the Korean people's cause of national reunification and demanded the withdrawal of all foreign troops from South Korea.

The Egyptian president, the Syrian deputy prime minister and foreign minister and the Iranian foreign minister also expressed support to Korean reunification in their speeches.

14 Oct Report

SK140441 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0345 GMT 14 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 14 (KCNA)--The delegates of socialist countries attending the 38th Session of the U.N. General Assembly, in their speeches at the plenary meeting, expressed support to the Korean people's just cause of national reunification, according to a report.

Oskar Fischer, foreign minister of the German Democratic Republic, had this to say:

The German Democratic Republic supports the foreign policy and activity of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea for the defence of peace on the Korean peninsula and the struggle of the Korean people for forcing the U.S. troops out of South Korea and achieving the peaceful reunification of Korea on a democratic basis without foreign interference.

The U.S. troops must quit South Korea and the Korean people enjoy their legitimate right to live in their reunified country.

Cuban Foreign Minister Isidoro Malmierca Peoli said that the Cuban delegation reaffirms support to the DPRK's just cause of the peaceful reunification of the country and demands the United States to stop its interference in the internal affairs of Korea and withdraw its troops from the southern half of the Korean peninsula.

Albanian Foreign Minister Reis Malile said:

Thirty years have passed since the Korean war. But Korea still remains divided.

The U.S. Army must quit South Korea and the legitimate rights of the Korean people to live in a reunified country be ensured.

Czechoslovak Foreign Minister Bohuslav Chnoupek stated that Czechoslovakia supports the efforts of the Government of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea for forcing the U.S. troops out of South Korea and achieving the peaceful reunification of Korea.

Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs of Mongolia Ts. Gombosuren said:

The Mongolian People's Republic invariably supports the struggle of the Korean people to reunify the country peacefully on a democratic basis free from foreign interference.

We reiterate that the U.S. troops and nuclear weapons must be withdrawn from South Korea.

Vietnamese Foreign Minister Ngyen Co Thach pointed out that Viet Nam fully supports the struggle of the Korean people to force the U.S. Army out of South Korea and peacefully reunify the country.

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SOVIET PAPER SAYS SOUTH U.S. 'PUPPET STATE'

SK061154 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1046 GMT 6 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 6 (KCNA)--The Soviet paper "Izvestya" recently carried an article exposing that South Korea is a colony and military base of U.S. imperialists, according to a TASS report.

The paper said South Korea today is a puppet state in the Far East--the state where the Americans have felt at home for a long time now.

Having enmeshed the South Korean economy into a network of loans, prodding it to further militarization, Washington has turned the south of the Korean peninsula into a springboard for subversive operations in that region, it said, and continued:

A whole complex of military bases of the United States, with the newest weapons stationed on them, is situated there. More than 40,000 U.S. troops are deployed on South Korea's territory.

Uncontented, the Pentagon, acting with the approval and blessing of the White House, is working to set up the Washington-Seoul-Tokyo alliance. It is well known that this plan, the purpose of which is to aggravate tensions in the Far East, is fraught with serious dangers. It is not accidental that the South Korean Air Force pilots were chosen to carry out the CIA's deadly plan of sending a spy plane into the Soviet Union's air space, "Izvestya" writes.

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INTER-KOREAN AFFAIRS

KCNA ON SOUTH SUPPRESSION OF KOREANS IN JAPAN

SK070035 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2301 GMT 6 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 6 (KCNA)--The Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique, regarding Japan-resident Koreans of South Korean origin as "dangerous people" for their "security" is watching them dually and trebly, intensifying its crackdown upon them.

This can be seen first of all in its indiscriminate arrest and imprisoning of Korean residents in Japan.

According to data, hundreds of Korean residents were reported missing after they were secretly arrested by officials of the South Korean puppet Security Planning Board, the "Army Security Command" and the puppet police.

The puppet clique is arresting Korean residents in Japan, charging them with being "spies."

A Korean resident in Japan surnamed Pak went to Cheju Island, taken in by the puppet clique's "home-visiting" trick.

Unaware that the driver who was carrying him was a secret agent of the puppet clique, he told him without reserve that Korean children in his district of Japan are studying at "schools of the North" and other things about the northern half of the DPRK.

Informed of this by the special agent, the puppet police arrested and imprisoned Pak, branding him as "a spy sent by the North."

Officials of the "Security Planning Board" arrested Son Yu-hyong, a Korean resident in Japan, because he went out to the shore at a tourist centre during his visit to South Korea and brutally tortured him by every means and is now watching for a chance to execute him on charges of being "a spy."

Besides, the puppets arrested a Japan-resident Korean student named Yi Chong-su studying at Koryo University on faked-up suspicion of being "a spy" and are holding a murderous trial to penalize him. A Japan-resident Korean businessman Yi Sung-u was also unreasonably arrested on similar charges during his visit to South Korea.

Over the past three years since he usurped puppet power, the traitor Chon Tu-hwan has rigged up numerous spy cases, nearly 57 percent of which were those involving Korean residents in Japan.

While harshly penalizing Japan-resident Korean political prisoners, the puppet clique maliciously scheme to obliterate them once and for all.

Facts tell how viciously the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique is suppressing Japan-resident Koreans visiting South Korea, to say nothing of the South Korean people, to maintain its "power."

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NODONG SINMUN ACCUSES SOUTH OF SEPARATED FAMILIES PROBLEM

SK040116 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2242 GMT 3 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 3 (KCNA)--NODONG SINMUN today carries an article titled "It Is Result of the Fascist Rule That the Problem of Separated Families Remains Unsolved in South Korea."

The article says:

Now in South Korea there are hundreds of thousands of families who heard no news from each other after they were separated during the war.

It is entirely a result of the vicious colonial rule of U.S. imperialism and the fascist rule of South Korea that the problem of the reunion of separated families and relatives remains unsolved in South Korea.

The Chon Tu-hwan fascist clique with huge repressive machines and forces and all sorts of fascist evil laws bind all progressive elements of South Korea with the chains of fascism and strictly bar free visits and contacts between people.

While running amuck to further reinforce the long-term office system, they have created a terror-ridden atmosphere so that even parents, husbands and wives and children cannot unburden themselves to each other.

Under the fascist "Law on Assembly and Demonstration," they crack down upon even a few people hurting their feelings on charges of "illegal demonstration," arrest those who are chatting with their friends, charging them with violation of the "law," and repress relatives meeting with each other to share their feelings, branding it as a "seditious act."

The puppet clique issue "emergency duty order" to the puppet police throughout South Korea to stage a harsh "wholesale roundup" at the beginning and end of the year and on the threshold of the Autumn Festival every year.

Each time they are faced with political crisis, the puppets stage frantic "special roundup" campaign under the pretext of the "establishment of order."

The Chon Tu-hwan clique which recently brought forward the problem of "finding out separated families" are staging a "wholesale check and roundup" under the pretext of preventing possible "social confusion" and establishing order with the Inter-Parliamentary Conference and Reagan's South Korean tour as an occasion.

Meanwhile, the South Korean people are languishing in the greatest difficulties of living under the misrule of the fascist clique. It is indeed a miracle for them to live.

Now the traitor Chon Tu-hwan is advertising as if he were doing something for someone, after finding a few separated families. In actuality, however, social circumstances for solving the problem of separated families have not been created in South Korea.

If this problem is to be solved truly in South Korea, the basic problem should be settled above all. The South Korean occupation policy of the U.S. imperialists should be terminated, the fascist rule be liquidated and democracy and rights to existence be ensured to the people.

To solve anything, leaving aside this urgent and vital problem, is a nonsensical act reminding us that blood-thirsty wolves would guard sheep's house.

The South Korean people will never tolerate the puppets' criminal moves to create an "atmosphere of the international conference" with the "campaign for finding out separated families."

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KCNA PLAYS FLOW OF FOREIGN CAPITAL INTO SOUTH

SK040855 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0808 GMT 4 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 4 (KCNA)--The South Korean puppet clique, not bothering to conceal their treacherous nature, are inducing foreign capital on a far bigger scale than the preceding puppets had done to plunge the South Korean economy deeper into the quagmire of dependence.

According to a report, the military fascist clique recently worked out "a plan for the reorganization of the foreign capital inducement system," which stipulates a "total liberalization" of the infiltration into South Korea of foreign capital whose investment rate with the comprador capital is below 50 per cent.

In this step the puppets discard the regulation that foreign capitalists may send home the profits they squeezed in South Korea only two years after their infiltration and allow them to remit money at any time and operate new enterprises with the profits they reaped, and intend to codify all this in the "Law on Foreign Capital Inducement."

As soon as they usurped the puppet regime the Chon Tu-hwan military fascist clique revised the "Law on Foreign Capital Inducement" faked up by the preceding puppet, rendering it more reactionary, while intensifying fascist suppression.

On the other hand, under the cloak of "activating foreigners' investment and introduction of technology" the puppet clique removed "factors impeding investments" in various aspects such as operation of enterprises to induce more foreign capital, and allowed foreign capitalists to dispose of their electrical products and its spare parts manufactured in South Korea through a massive local scale.

Besides, the puppet clique allow foreign capitalists to freely carry out of South Korea any goods and ship there any equipment and raw materials and they took a new step of "liberalization of imports" as regards 270 commodities and went so far as to bring in foreign trade marks to let them prevail.

All these are treacherous acts leaving the South Korean economy wholly at the tender mercy of foreign capitalists and turning South Korea into a zone

of foreign capital investment, a dumping ground of commodities and land of unbridled colonial plunder.

Poisoned by the already induced foreign capital, South Korea depends on foreign countries for more than 60 per cent of industrial facilities, among them 90-100 per cent of the facilities of "key industrial domain." As for raw materials, 80-100 per cent of them including 85.5 per cent of iron ores are dependent on imports. It depends on foreign countries for funds, too; the operation of enterprises and production are paralysed without their introduction.

And trade gap is widening due to the humiliating foreign trade of the puppet clique and the flood of foreign trade marks "form a new sphere in circulation."

Accordingly, the puppet clique's debts will go far beyond the mark of 40,000 million dollars at the end of this year, landing them in tighter straits.

The increasing zeal of the military fascist clique in the inducement of foreign capital is intended to deceive the people by creating the impression that they would achieve something by that and to pay the accumulated debts and deliver themselves from international isolation caused by economic instability and the staggering amount of debts.

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REPORTAGE ON DEMONSTRATIONS AT SEOUL UNIVERSITY

Students Arrested

SK062347 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2205 GMT 6 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 6 (KCNA)--The South Korean military fascist clique arrested Chon Nak-pong and Sin Won-chol, students of Seoul University, on October 5 on charges of violation of the fascist "Law on Assembly and Demonstration," according to a report.

They reportedly agitated a demonstration, scattering anti-"government" leaflets titled "A Letter to the People" downtown Seoul on September 30, blowing a whistle, with the conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union a few days ahead.

The Chon Tu-hwan military hooligans are revealing their true colour as fascist hangmen by resorting to suppression against the students, hating them who always take the lead in the struggle against their treacheries as a thorn in their flesh.

30 Sep Demonstrations

SK070431 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0336 GMT 7 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--Hundreds of students staged an anti-"government" demonstration denouncing the Chon Tu-hwan military fascist clique on the night of September 30 on a road leading downtown Seoul, when the anti-U.S., anti-puppet spirit was mounting among South Korean people with the Seoul conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union as an occasion.

They fought stubbornly, repeatedly clashing with the puppet riot police who madly cracked down upon them, firing tear gas canisters.

The Chon Tu-hwan fascist clique that night drove out many policemen to disperse the demonstrators, put the police on the alert everywhere to intensify "check and roundup" and arrested several students.

The fascist clique arrested two students of Tongguk University who had fought courageously at the head of a demonstration of over 1,000 students.

A foreign press report said there have been at least 15 anti-government demonstrations on Seoul campuses since universities and colleges resumed autumn classes in early September.

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STUDENTS IN SOUTH EXPELLED FOR ARREARAGE OF EXPENSES

SK130317 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2237 GMT 12 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 12 (KCNA)--The South Korean students are undergoing unspeakable sufferings from the pillage of campus by the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique. Many of them are expelled from campuses.

Admission of 110 students was cancelled at Seoul University and 139 at Koryo University for their failure to pay the registration fees.

Many students are forced to give up their university courses half-way.

Some 2,310 students at Hanyang University and 1,750 at Koryo University were removed from the campus registers during one term this year.

Quite a few students have been expelled from Songgyungwan and Sogang Universities on account of the registration fees. Such students increased 98.7 per cent at Songgyungwan University as against the same period last year.

Last year as many as 130,700 students were expelled or forced to stay away from campuses for a time, hard up for school expenses.

At the South Korean middle and high schools, too, a countless number of students are forced to give up study, unable to pay school fees. Their number averages more than 200,000 annually at the middle schools.

In the new school term this year, too, the puppet clique largely increased the impositions at the schools at all levels, lifting the registration fee for each university student to 544,000 won. With several dozen kinds of miscellaneous impositions added to this, one student must pay more than one million won in one term.

The commercialisation of schools by the puppet clique drives a great many students into misfortunes, depriving them of opportunities of learning.

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SOUTH KOREA 'DISCIPLINES' COLLEGE STUDENTS

SK130818 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0808 GMT 13 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 13 (KCNA)--The military fascist clique issued warning to or expelled over 7,620 students of Seoul, Koryo, Yonse, Sukmyong Women's and five other universities in Seoul in the first semester on the pretext of "poor school records," according to a report.

At Seoul University more than 1,290 students were disciplined in this period, of which the number of those expelled from the campus was two times that in the same semester of last year.

At Koryo University 1,090 students, 430 greater than in the same semester of last year were disciplined. The number was 1,180 respectively at Chungang and Kyonghui Universities.

The number of disciplined students at Sukmyong Women's University was four times that in the first semester of last year.

The military fascist clique expelled or disciplined 1,810 students in the first semester under the "graduation limit system" at four universities including Kyongbuk and Kyemyong Universities in Taegu.

With such suppression the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique foolishly tries to put down the fighting spirit of students.

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BRIEFS

S. KOREAN STUDENTS IN U.S.--Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--Many South Korean students in the United States are refusing to return to South Korea, according to a report. After 1977 over 300 South Korean students went to the United States to study, of whom only nine returned to South Korea as of April 1. Some 119 of the remaining students refuse to return though their period of study expired. This shows that sentiments against the Chon Tu-hwan puppet clique are growing stronger among South Korean students abroad, too. [Text] [SK071528 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1501 GMT 7 Oct 83]

COURT DECISION ON LOAN SCANDAL--Pyongyang, October 11 (KCNA)--The puppet Seoul High Court on October 7 passed a decision on cancelling even the insignificant fine amounting to 312,000 won which had been inflicted on Chang Chin-hyok, one of those involved in the large-scale loan scandal, according to a report. He is a close relative of Chang Yong-cha, the principal criminal in the case. When the voices denouncing those involved in the loan scandal grew louder last year, the puppets inflicted a fine on Chang Chin-hyok who had received 10 million won from Chang Yong-cha. These days when the public opinion built up around the case died down, the puppets cancelled even that nominal fine. This is one of the examples vividly revealing the ugly color of the Chon Tu-hwan traitor clique who are shamelessly trying to conceal all brands of swindle and corruption they are committing. [Text] [SK120047 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2212 GMT 11 Oct 83]

S. KOREAN MILITARY ALLOTMENT--Pyongyang, October 12 (KCNA)--The South Korean military fascist clique in compiling a "draft budget" for next year decided to increase the military expenditures by more than 30,000 million won, while freezing the "budget" scale under all other categories, according to a report. The puppet clique worked out the "draft budget" in this way, openly announcing that budgetary amount will be increased only under categories of military nature. At present a serious economic crisis is sweeping South Korea to make it impossible to secure fund needed for "budget." This notwithstanding, the puppet clique is increasing military expenditures. This shows that the South Korean "budget" is an anti-national one controlled and decided by the U.S. imperialists and subordinated to the master's aggressive and belligerent policies. [Text] [SK120447 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0354 GMT 12 Oct 83]

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N. KOREA/POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT

NODONG SINMUN ON WPK CONGRESS ANNIVERSARY

SK100403 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0339 GMT 10 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--NODONG SINMUN October 9 carried an article headlined "To Thoroughly Implement Decisions of Sixth Congress of the Party Is Worthwhile Work of Our People" on the occasion of the third anniversary of the historic Sixth Congress of the Workers' Party of Korea.

The author of the article says:

"Report to the Sixth Congress of the Workers' Party of Korea on the Work of the Central Committee" delivered by the respected leader Comrade Kim Il-song is a programmatic document which should be continuously upheld in strengthening our party and constantly advancing the revolutionary cause. It is an encyclopedia of revolution and construction which comprehensively indicates the general task of our revolution and ways for its fulfilment, the principled revolutionary lines and tasks for national reunification and for the accomplishment of the cause of anti-imperialism and independence.

To continue to thoroughly fulfil the programmatic tasks set forth by the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song at the sixth congress of the party carries weighty significance in constantly strengthening our party and accelerating socialist and communist construction.

Its significance lies, first of all, in that it makes it possible to further strengthen and develop our party into a revolutionary vanguard of chuche and consistently enhance its leading role.

The sixth party congress is brilliantly recorded in our party's history as a congress which successfully solved the problem of the future destiny of the party and revolution in our country. This is because our party has grown in strength as a great guiding force capable of carrying forward the revolutionary cause of chuche to accomplishment.

The whole history of our party is a proud course along which all the party members and working people have creditably realized the idea and guidance of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song who is the organiser and leader of the party, faithfully upholding them.

The sixth party congress summed up the brilliant achievements made in the party building and work under the correct leadership of our party and set forth militant tasks to continue to thoroughly implement the unique policy of the party building advanced by the party centre. The policies of more thoroughly establishing the party's monolithic ideological system and strengthening the unity and cohesion of its ranks, strengthening work with men to firmly build up the ranks of the party and the revolution, deepening ideological work and inheriting and developing the party's revolutionary traditions and strengthening its guidance of the revolution and construction and so on--these policies are a valuable guideline for strengthening and developing our party for ever into a juche-type revolutionary party with invincible might and bright future.

To constantly push ahead with the work of carrying out the decisions of the sixth party congress is also of great significance in bringing about new changes in socialist construction.

The article further says:

An important revolutionary task facing us in implementing the decisions of the sixth party congress is to reunify the divided country and make the whole world independent. We must wage a vigorous struggle for reunifying the country through the establishment of the Democratic Federal Republic of Koryo. And we must fully implement the program of the foreign policy of independence, friendship and peace to strengthen the anti-imperialist independent forces, create favourable international conditions for our revolution and hasten the victory of the world revolution as a whole.

The article stresses:

Comrade Kim Chong-il, member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau, and secretary, of the Central Committee of the party, indicated correct policies and concrete ways for carrying into practice the decisions of the sixth party congress and leads the struggle for their implementation to victory.

Our party published a series of historic works to make the entire party members and working people firmly grasp and embody the spirit of the report of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song to the sixth party congress and clearly indicate the guiding principle and targets which the party organisations and power organs must maintain in the implementation of the decisions of the party congress.

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CHONG CHUN-KI ATTENDS PEOPLE'S MEETING 8 OCT

SK091111 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0917 GMT 9 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 9 (KCNA)--Working people in Pyongyang held a meeting to vow loyalty on October 8 in front of a monument erected at the fork of the road to Mangyongdae, upon the lapse of 38 years since the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, after liberating the fatherland and making a triumphant return home, called on the workers of Kangson before he visited his native house in Mangyongdae which was within a calling distance.

Put up at the meeting place was a portrait of the great leader of our party and our people Comrade Kim Il-song.

At the meeting which was attended by Comrades Chong Chun-ki and Ho Chong-suk and personages concerned together with working people in the city, Kim Pong-chu, chairman of the Central Committee of the General Federation of Trade Unions of Korea, made a speech, which was followed by speeches of attendants.

The speakers said that on October 9, 1945, the historic day before the founding of our party, the great leader went to Kangson, adorning the fork of the road to Mangyongdae with a greater concern for the revolution than his native village to meet workers first before he met his grandparents and relatives.

The great leader who went to Kangson trusted the workers who had been subjected to the oppression and maltreatment as masters of the country and stood them on the worthwhile road for the building of a new fatherland.

The fork of the road to Mangyongdae, the road of history, is a glorious and brilliant road of revolution and a road of great love which could be covered only by the great leader who has been devoting his life solely to the revolutionary cause of the working class, they stressed.

The speakers said: The great idea of revolution with which the great leader has adorned the road of his continued on-the-spot guidance after passing through the fork of the road to Mangyongdae is inscribed as it is on the road of the wise guidance covered by the glorious party centre.

They stressed that the entire working people should brilliantly accomplish the revolutionary cause of chuche by learning from the great idea of revolution associated with the fork.

A resolution was adopted at the meeting.

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DAILY ON ROLE OF WORKING PEOPLE'S ORGANIZATIONS

SK120402 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0334 GMT 12 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 12 (KCNA)--NODONG SINMUN October 11 dedicated an article to the 15th anniversary of the publication of "On Further Enhancing the Role of Working People's Organisations," a historic work of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, on October 11, 1968.

The article titled "Historic Work Which Brought About Turn in Work of Working People's Organisations" says:

In this work the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song newly expounded the position, role and tasks of the working people's organisations. In particular, he laid important emphasis on problems of strengthening the party's guidance of the work of working people's organisations, vigorously pushing ahead with the work of revolutionizing and working-classizing the working people and firmly building up the core ranks of these organisations.

The work of the great leader carries great significance in making the working people's organisations successfully discharge their missions and duties as peripheral organisations of the party.

The work is above all a firm guideline for the working people's organisations including the League of Socialist Working Youth and the General Federation of Trade Unions in thoroughly defending and implementing the party's line and policy.

In this historic work the great leader defined the working people's organisations as organisations for ideological education of the broad masses and peripheral organisations of our party. This is a most clear elucidation of their position and role.

With the presentation of the new idea that they are the party's peripheral organisations, the working people's organisations came to have the stand and attitude of regarding it as their basic mission and an inexorable law to defend and implement the party's line and policy.

The significance of the work also lies in that it made the working people's organisations vigorously push ahead with the work of revolutionizing and working-classizing the broad masses.

The great leader in his historic work propounded the idea that the work of revolutionizing and working-classizing the broad masses is the most important revolutionary task of the League of Socialist Working Youth, the General Federation of Trade Unions and the Union of Agricultural Working People, thereby making these organisations take this work as their primary task.

Saying that for the revolutionization of people it is necessary to make a deep study of its way and plan this work in a concrete way, he indicated the way for this work on the basis of practical experiences he personally gained in the period of his revolutionary activities in his early years and of the anti-Japanese armed struggle.

The working people's organisations have waged a vigorous struggle to revolutionize the broad masses in the course of modelling the whole party and whole society on the chuche idea under the guidance of our party, with the result that a new turn has taken place in the ideological and moral traits of the people.

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NODONG SINMUN ON ESTABLISHING CHUCHE IN IDEOLOGY

OW121701 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1602 GMT 12 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 12 (KCNA)--NODONG SINMUN today carries an article headlined "Establishing Chuche in Ideology Is the Primary Requirement of Revolutionary Struggle for Chajusong (Independence)," which reads in part:

One of the important contents of "On the Chuche Idea," a treatise of Comrade Kim Chong-il, member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau, and secretary, of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea, is the idea of establishing chuche in ideology.

As expounded in the treatise, to establish chuche in ideology means having the consciousness that one is the master of the revolution and construction, thinking and doing everything, centering on the revolution in one's own country, and acquiring the viewpoint and attitude of solving all questions by one's own talents and initiative.

The basis of the revolutionary struggle is man's thinking and it decides everything. To establish chuche in politics, economy, military affairs, culture and all other domains of the revolution and construction, therefore, can be ensured only by establishing chuche in thinking. Hence the establishment of chuche in thinking is the primary requirement of the masses' revolutionary struggle for chajusong.

To establish chuche in ideology is, above all, an indispensable requirement for the party and people of each country to successfully carry out the revolution of their own country.

The principle of establishing chuche in ideology is a most correct guideline for acquiring the chuche stand and viewpoint in the revolution and construction.

This guiding principle emanating from the fundamental principle of the chuche idea does never allow one to make revolution in reliance upon others, without the consciousness of being the master, or to have his rights as the master infringed upon, but sets it as the basic requirement to carry out the revolution of one's country on one's own responsibility.

Only when the party and people of each country firmly adhere to the principle of establishing chuche in ideology, therefore, can they successfully carry out their own revolution and construction and discharge fully their basic duty as masters of the revolution.

Establishing chuche in ideology is also a guarantee for powerfully promoting the international cause of the working class.

For each people to successfully carry out their own revolution is the way to fulfil both the national and the international duty of the working class.

The revolution of each country is part of the world revolution. The final victory of the world revolution is won in the course of the revolution in each country emerging triumphant.

Our party and people have consistently waged the struggle for establishing chuche in ideology and won great victory in the revolution and construction and actively contributed to the international communist movement.

The treatise gives an all-round exposition of ways for establishing chuche in ideology.

Our party expounded that to establish chuche in ideology it is necessary to equip oneself with the revolutionary idea of the working class and with the policy of one's party, to be versed in one's own things and to possess a high sense of national dignity and revolutionary pride. And it raised it as an important question in establishing chuche in ideology to develop national culture and elevate the cultural and technical levels of the masses, and to struggle against flunkeyism and all shades of outdated ideas.

All these policies of our party indicate the most correct way for thoroughly embodying the principle of establishing chuche in ideology.

What is also important in implementing the party's policy of establishing chuche in thinking at present is to continually uphold the line of the three revolutions, ideological, technical and cultural.

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N. KOREA/POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT

BRIEFS

PEOPLES' SOIREES ON WPK ANNIVERSARY--Pyongyang, October 11 (KCNA)--Soirees of working people marking the 38th anniversary of the founding of the Workers' Party of Korea were held in provinces, cities and counties on the evening of October 10. They were attended by leading personnel of local party and power bodies and working people's organisations. Soirees of district working people of Pyongyang were held at the squares in front of the Kim Il-song Stadium, the Pyongyang indoor stadium, the February 8 House of Culture, the Tower of Juche Idea and so on. The faces of dancing attendants registered utmost gratitude and reverence for the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song who founded the immortal chuche idea, ushered in this land a new period of development and prosperity with its radiant rays and is always leading our people along the road of victory and glory and for our party which is leading the revolutionary cause of juche to shining victory. A soiree of Hamhung working people was held at the Hamhung Square. At the end of the soiree the attendants appreciated a performance of art circle members. [Text] [SK110435 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0351 GMT 11 Oct 83]

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N. KOREA/ECONOMY

KCNA ON DEVELOPMENT OF RAILWAY TRANSPORT

SK071521 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1504 GMT 7 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--The railway transport of Korea has been developed and strengthened to be a modern socialist railway transport with a rational transport system and powerful material and technical foundations.

Great efforts have been directed to the railway electrification in Korea.

The railway electrification entered a full-scale stage from the early period of the Five-Year Plan (1957-1961). In the subsequent Seven-Year Plan period 850 kilometre sections were switched over to electric traction, with the result that electrification was finished in the major trunk line sections.

Entering the 1970s the railway electrification progressed at faster tempo. In four years after the 18th Plenary Meeting of the Fifth Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea discussed the problem of effecting a new turn in the railway transport in June 1979, more than 1,000 kilometres of railway lines were electrified.

At the end of 1980 the traction proportion of electric locomotives reached 87.5 percent in the railway freightage and a unitary system of transport by electric locomotives was established in the trunk line and major branch line sections.

Today the railway electrification has been realised not only in the major trunk line sections but also in the branch lines and lines for the exclusive use of factories and enterprises.

The introduction of modern, heavy and high-speed transport means is being vigorously accelerated in the railway domain, and production of electric locomotives and other rolling stock has sharply increased to further consolidate the material and technical foundations of the railway transport.

At many railway stations and railway sections automation has been introduced and means of communications have been modernized.

The railway station compounds have been rebuilt and expanded and many centralized goods stations built and the mechanisation of loading and unloading has reached a high level. As a result, three ways of transport--centralized, container and combined transport--have been successfully realised and a radical change has been brought about in the transport as a whole.

The railway transport of Korea has made rapid progress with the support of the whole party, the whole country and the entire people.

Now the working people in the railway transport domain are vigorously waging various mass drives for mass innovations including "the drive to run safely, on schedule and with more freight for the implementation of the decision of the 18th Plenary Meeting of the Fifth Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea" to more fully meet the growing demand of the national economy for transport.

Today Korea's railway carries only in 11 days as much goods as were transported in the one year of 1946.

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N. KOREA/ECONOMY

KIM CHONG-IL GUIDES HOUSING CONSTRUCTION

SK130644 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0343 GMT 13 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 13 (KCNA)--A few days ago scientists moved to new houses in Pyongsong, the seat of South Pyongan Province.

Pyongsong is a base of our science where the Academy of Sciences and many institutes under it are located.

The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song who always shows deep concern for the work and life of scientists, gave on-the-spot guidance to the Academy of Sciences there in March this year and said that the better modern houses should be built for scientists.

The dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il took measures to solve all problems arising in the building of new flats for scientists and, acquainting himself with the construction on several occasions, energetically guided work so that the speed campaign was waged in the housing construction.

Thus, modern multi-storied flats were built in a brief period in Pyongsong.

The new flats in Pyongsong are built well to be convenient to grown-ups, children and old folk in their life. Rooms are furnished with all kinds of new furniture of high quality and kitchen with modern utensils.

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N. KOREA/ECONOMY

STEEL PRODUCTION CAPACITY RAPIDLY INCREASES

SK091007 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0932 GMT 9 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 9 (KCNA)--The working people in the metal industrial domain of Korea are significantly marking their red-letter day (October 9).

They are celebrating Day of Metal Workers with unprecedented successes in expanding steel production capacity.

A vast project for increasing the annual steel production capacity to 6 million tons in the near future is progressing apace at the Kim Chaek Iron Works, a large-size iron production base.

The new production processes to be built in this project include steel shop No. 3, plate-sheet steel rolling shop, electric welding shop, pot repair shop and continuous roughing ground. The iron works also plans to double the production capacity of steel shop No. 2 and substantially increase the capacity of the hot rolling shop, the oxygen shop and other related production processes.

Many other projects to help toward increasing the steel production capacity of the Kim Chaek Iron Works are being carried on at other enterprises.

The Chongjin Steel Works is building several revolving furnaces and the Musan mine vigorously carrying on the projects of laying belt conveyer for the transport of scraped earth, ore cutting ground and object of treating tailings. The work for building the Chongjin thermal power plant and laying another concentrated ore transport pipeline between Musan and Chongjin is progressing.

In the last one month the builders undertaking these vast projects carried out the work which would take half a year at an ordinary pace.

A large-size melting hearth of our style whose melting method is completely different from that at the existing electric hearths is being built at the Songjin Steel Works at fast tempo. It is a modern electric melting hearth whose operation is easy and which is able to considerably increase steel production with less labour. The workers there are vigorously making the last charge.

The capacity expansion projects are also going on vigorously at the Kangson Steel Complex and the Hwanghae Iron Complex.

N. KOREA/ECONOMY

ORE DRESSING CAPACITY INCREASES IN DPRK

SK081529 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1519 GMT 8 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 8 (KCNA)--Korea has increased the tunnelling capacity 1.7 times and transport and ore dressing capacity 2 times respectively in last one year as against the previous year through an energetic drive to boost the nonferrous metal ore production capacity.

In the past one year vigorous endeavours have been made at nonferrous metal ore mines to implement the decision of the Hamhung Plenary Meeting of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea which discussed the problem of attaining the goal of 1.5 million tons of nonferrous metals.

In this course large-size modern ore dressing plant No. 3, a leading one of its kind in the world, which is capable of treating annually 10 million tons of ore was successfully built and put into operation recently at the Komdok general mining enterprise. And with the building of over 40 large-size cutting faces whose scale is 20-30 times the existing ones, many large-size shafts and a belt conveyer, the production capacity of the enterprise has substantially increased.

The nonferrous metal ore mines in the Tanchon District boosted their annual production capacity by an average of 2-3 times in the past one year.

The production capacity of the Unhung and Hyesan youth mines and mines in the Yanggang provincial area also grew markedly.

New nonferrous metal ore mines were developed and the work to introduce large and high-speed transport machines was energetically accelerated.

The Yongam, Sinpa and Nojung mines were newly developed in Yanggang Province.

Large trolley coaches carrying two times more ore than the existing large-size hutches are running on the newly built loop line at the Sangnong mine.

The construction of cables was vigorously carried on at the Kapsan and August mines.

As a result, a solid foundation has been laid in Korea to attain ahead of schedule the goal of 1.5 million tons of nonferrous metals, advanced as one of the 10 prospective targets of the socialist economic construction in the 1980s.

N. KOREA/ECONOMY

REPORTAGE ON AGRICULTURAL HARVEST PROGRESS

Bumper Harvests

SK081033 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1014 GMT 8 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 8 (KCNA)--Bumper crops have visited all the Korean rural districts from the plain areas to the mountainous zones.

Rice yield is unusually high on many cooperative farms in Mundok and Sukchon Counties, South Pyongan Province, situated in the Yoldusamcholli plain on the west coast and Pyongwon County of the province.

An increase of more than one ton per hectare above last year in rice harvest is expected on the Yoldusamchon, Chilli and Sasan cooperative farms, Sukchon County. The number of grains of each rice ear is 7 or 8 more than last year on the Tongrim and Ryongrim cooperative farms in Mundok County.

The paddy fields in Chongju County, North Pyongan Province, and Kangnam County, Pyongyang municipality, are also animated with plenteous rice harvest.

In Chongju County, the number of grains per rice ear is five more than last year and the per hectare harvest is expected to show a gain of hundreds of kilograms above last year.

The estimated rice harvest per hectare in Kangnam County is 600 kilograms more than last year's average. In some plots the per hectare yield is foreseen to rise more than one ton.

Maize also has done well this year.

And the plateau areas are visited by a bumper yield of potatoes.

The Munam cooperative farm in Musan County looks ahead to a 3 ton jump in potato harvest per hectare above last year. Many plots of the Obong cooperative farm are expected to produce 5 more tons on an average, 10 tons at maximum, per hectare up on last year.

The bountiful crops which have visited all the rural areas of Korea this year again are fruits of the thorough implementation of the great juche method of farming.

Harvest at 'Final Stage'

SK101015 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1008 GMT 10 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--Harvest of rich crops is progressing at the final stage in Korea.

Over one hundred cities, counties and districts have already finished rice harvest and more than 60 cities, counties and districts maize harvest.

Especially, rice and maize harvest was finished in North Pyongan and North Hwanghae Provinces, rice harvest in South Hwanghae, South Pyongan and Chagang Provinces and maize harvest in Nampo and Kaesong municipalities.

The rational distribution of manpower and machines made it possible to bring about these successes in the rural villages of the country.

Cooperative farms in South Hamgyong and Kangwon Provinces and eastern coast area have also finished harvest in a large area of fields by harvesting crops whenever they ripened.

The cooperative farms which finished harvesting are directing all efforts to thrashing.

Bumper Harvest on Hamhung Plain

SK121123 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1104 GMT 12 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 12 (KCNA)--A bumper crop has visited the Hamhung plain on the east coast of Korea this year, too.

Many cooperative farms in this plain covering Hamhung, Hamju and Chongpyong areas of South Hamgyong Province have already finished maize harvest and are now hastening rice harvest.

This 100-ri plain foresees an average increase of several hundred kilograms of rice and 500 kilograms of maize per hectare above last year.

Hamju County mainly producing rice expects an increase of more than 1,600 tons of rice above last year. The number of grains per ear of rice is 5-6 greater than last year's on the Tongbong, Sinha, Songjong and other cooperative farms in the county. Maize crops are also rich. The Tongbong cooperative farm foresees an increase of 700 kilograms of maize per hectare on an average above last year.

Vegetable, fruit and tobacco harvests are also rich.

Foreign Embassy Officials Help

SK130812 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0806 GMT 13 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 13 (KCNA)--The Bulgarian, Cuban and Democratic Kampuchean ambassadors and their embassy officials and the charge d'affaires ad interim and officials of the Vietnamese Embassy in Pyongyang helped in harvest farmers of the cooperative farms which have friendly ties with their countries.

Members of the Liaison Office of the Chinese People's Volunteers to the Military Armistice Commission and Polish and Czechoslovak members of the Neutral Nations Supervisory Commission to the MAC also helped the farmers of the Tokam cooperative farm, Kaesong, in harvest.

Bumper Crops in Anak County

SK140039 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2324 GMT 13 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 13 (KCNA)--The Orori and Taewon plains in Anak County, South Hwanghae Province on the western coast of Korea, have been visited by bumper crops again this year.

Having finished maize and rice harvesting before others with the joy of bumper crops, the cooperative farmers in the county are now hastening thrashing while carrying in grains in time.

The average per hectare rice harvest this year is expected to be 800 kilogrammes more than the peak year. And a rise of hundreds of kilogrammes over last year is foreseen in maize harvest per hectare.

The Oguk cooperative farm, the first producer of more than 10,000 tons of grain in the Orori plain, and the Taechu, Toksong and Omgot cooperative farms foresee a jump of more than one ton in rice harvest per hectare above last year.

In many plots per hectare rice yield is estimated at more than 9 tons.

This year, too, the whimsical weather under the influence of the cold front adversely affected the growth of the crops in spring and summer. But the cooperative farms in the county have brought such bumper crops by doing farming on a scientific and technical basis as required by the chuche method of farming.

Anak County which boosted grain output last year by 20 per cent above 1981 is expected to harvest this year far more grain than last year.

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N. KOREA/SOCIAL CONDITIONS

CHONG CHUN-KI ATTENDS SIXTH PEOPLE'S SPORTS MEET

SK110427 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0338 GMT 11 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 11 (KCNA)--The Sixth People's Sports Meets opened on October 10 amid the great interest and expectation of the working people.

The sports meets are participated in by more than 5,000 players selected in elimination contests held in Pyongyang and local areas from early August.

At the sports meets the contests are held in all sports events, divided into the sports team group and general group.

An opening ceremony of the sports meets was held on October 10 at the Kim Il-song Stadium.

Placed on the rostrum was a portrait of the great leader of our party and our people Comrade Kim Il-song.

An opening address was made by Comrade Chong Chun-ki, alternate member of the Political Bureau of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea, vice-premier of the Administration Council and vice-chairman of the State Physical Culture and Sports Commission.

Then a congratulatory speech was made by Song Mun-kyong, head of the sports team of the General Association of Korean Residents in Japan (Chongnyon).

Then a march past of players took place.

The opening ceremony was followed by demonstration parachuting events, football match and track and field events at the Kim Il-song Stadium.

The people's sports meets are the biggest sports function held in all sports events once in five years in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

The current sports meets will be held from October 10 to 25.

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N. KOREA/MEDIA AND THE ARTS

REPORTAGE ON SIXTH ASIA MUSIC SYMPOSIUM

Foreign Groups Arrive

SK080453 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0442 GMT 8 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 8 (KCNA)--Delegations and delegates of different countries arrived in Pyongyang on October 7 by air to attend the Sixth Asia Music Rostrum and Symposium.

The guests were met at the airport by Kim Kwang-ho, vice-chairman of the DPRK Radio and Television Broadcasting Committee, Kang Yong-hui, secretary of the National Music Committee of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and vice-chairman of the Central Committee of the Musicians Union, and Pang Son-yong, rector of the Pyongyang University of Music and Dance.

The delegations and delegates who arrived yesterday were the delegate of the International Music Council and International Council of Traditional Music, the delegate of the International Radio and TV Organisation, the delegate of the Secretariat of the International Music Council, the delegation of the Arab Radio Union, the delegation of Radio and TV Broadcasting of Afghanistan, the delegate of the National Music Committee of Australia, the delegate of the Indian National Music Committee and Secretariat of the Asian Region of the International Music Council, the delegate of the All-Indian Radio Broadcasting, the delegate of the Radio Broadcasting of Pakistan, the musicians delegation of the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen, the delegate of Musicians of Syria, the delegation of the National Music Committee of the Soviet Union.

Earlier, the delegation of the Traditional Music Experts of Japan arrived in Pyŏngyang by air.

Symposium Opens

SK100423 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0358 GMT 10 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--The Sixth Asia Music Rostrum and Symposium opened in Pyongyang on October 9.

The rostrum and symposium will exchange successes and experiences gained in traditional music and its inheritance and development in Asian countries and discuss the problems of further developing traditional music.

It is attended by delegations and delegates from 20 countries--Afghanistan, Australia, Bangladesh, China, Korea, India, Indonesia, Japan, Kuwait, Mongolia, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan, Palestine, Papua New Guinea, Democratic Yemen, the Philippines, Syria, the Soviet Union and Viet Nam--and various international organisations such as the International Music Council (IMC), the International Council of Traditional Music, the Secretariat of the IMC, the International Radio and Television Organisation, the International Musicological Society, the Asian Regional Secretariat of the IMC and the Arab Radio Union.

The musicians delegation of the General Association of Korean Residents in Japan (Chongnyon) is also present.

The opening session was attended by Vice-Premier Chong Chun-ki, Vice-Minister of Culture and Art Chang Chol, Vice-Chairman of the DPRK Radio and Television Broadcasting Committee Kim Kwang-ho, First Vice-Chairman of the Central Committee of the General Federation of Literary and Art Unions Choe Yong-hwa and Chairman of the Central Committee of the Korean Musicians Union Yi Myon-sang.

Kim Won-kyun, chairman of the National Music Committee, who is heading the delegation of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, made an opening address.

A welcome speech was made at the opening session by Chang Chol, vice-minister of culture and art.

Noting that the demand and desire of the world musicians to preserve the traditional national music and constantly develop it are growing with each passing day, he said:

Ours is an era of chajusong (independence).

No nation wants to be subjugated by others. Every nation wants to build a new society on the basis of its faith and judgement.

If all countries are to develop their music and art truly in conformity with such demand of the era, they should firmly preserve their traditional national music and defend, inherit and develop it.

The Sixth Asia Music Rostrum and Symposium will be held in conformity with such demand and desire of the era to greatly contribute to developing the national music of Asian countries and further strengthening and developing the bonds of friendship and cooperation between musicians, he noted, and stressed:

Today in our country under the wise guidance of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song and the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il the traditional national music, a valuable wealth created by our people, has been securely preserved and it has developed into a national music suited to our people's feelings and the emotion of the present time.

The Korean musicians, he further said, will make persistent efforts in the future, too, to preserve the traditional national music of our country and correctly inherit and develop it by drawing on the already achieved successes, upholding the chuche-based policy on literature and art, and will actively contribute to developing music of mankind and making the world independent by expanding and developing mutual cooperation and exchange with other Asian countries in the field of music.

Congratulatory speeches were made by the delegates of the Australian National Music Committee, the Indian National Music Committee and the Asian Regional Secretariat of the International Music Council, and the International Musicological Society, the head of Chongryon musicians delegation and delegates of the International Radio and Television Organisation, the Indonesian National Music Committee and the Arab Radio Union.

The speakers said that the Sixth Asia Music Rostrum and Symposium opened in Pyongyang marks an important occasion in deepening mutual understanding of music.

The rostrum and symposium is aimed at finding out and disseminating excellent things in the field of music and giving a better understanding of the forms and characteristics of music in various countries and the role of music in strengthening international friendship, they said.

They wholeheartedly wished good health and a long life to the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song and the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il.

After the opening session, the Sixth Asia Music Rostrum began its work.

The rostrum heard submitted musical works.

The rostrum continues.

Reception Held for Participants

SK100429 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0414 GMT 10 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--The Administration Council gave a reception for the delegations and delegates to the Sixth Asia Music Rostrum and Symposium on the evening of October 9 at the People's Palace of Culture.

Present at the reception together with the guests were Vice-Premier Chong Chun-ki, Vice-Minister of Culture and Art Chang Chol, Vice-Chairman of the DPRK Radio and Television Broadcasting Committee Kim Kwang-ho, First Vice-Chairman of the Central Committee of the General Federation of Literary and Art Unions Choe Yong-hwa, and Chairman of the DPRK National Music Committee Kim Won-kyun.

Addressing the reception, Vice-Minister Chang Chol expressed the belief that the Sixth Asia Music Rostrum and Symposium would mark an important occasion

in deeply understanding the traditional, classic and modern national musics which have been uncovered, preserved and disseminated in the Asian countries and developing them still further in conformity with the demand of the present era and the desires of the people.

Under the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song's literary and art policy of carefully preserving the national cultural heritage and inheriting and developing the progressive and revolutionary traditions of culture, traditional and classic music are continually unearthed, readjusted and disseminated and further developed in conformity with the demand of the chuche era in our country, he stated.

Today we are confronted with heavy yet honorable task to oppose the cultural infiltration of imperialists, thoroughly defend the purity of the traditional national music and develop it still further, he pointed out.

Tran Van Khe, delegate of the International Music Council and International Council of Traditional Music, in his speech extended deep thanks to the great leader President Kim Il-song and the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il for having ensured the holding of the Sixth Asia Music Rostrum and Symposium in beautiful Pyongyang and accorded warm hospitality to the attendants.

Li Ling, delegate of the Chinese Musicians Association, in his speech expressed the belief that the Asia Music Rostrum Symposium would play a very great inspiring role in developing the national musics of Asian countries and enriching the world music and culture by exchanging and studying national musical works of various countries.

The attendants of the reception toasted the good health and long life of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, the good health and long life of the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il and the good health and long life of the heads of state of the countries which sent their delegations and delegates to the music rostrum and symposium.

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N. KOREA/MEDIA AND THE ARTS

KCNA NOTES RELEASE OF NEW FEATURE FILMS

SK071200 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1001 GMT 7 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--New feature films have been released in Korea.

The feature film "Manbyongcho" released by the Korean February 8 Film Studio gives a profound artistic answer as to the noblest trust and sense of duty through a portrayal of a woman guerrilla who was boundlessly faithful to the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song during the anti-Japanese armed struggle.

The film gives an emotional characterization of Chang Chol-ku, the heroine of the film, who is made a cook for the headquarters after clearing herself of the false charge of being a member of the "Minsaengdan" (a spy organization formed by Japanese imperialists) by the deep trust of the great leader and fights staunchly with an unshakable will to go to the great general, though she is suspected by the narrow-minded logistic officer at a rear hospital far off the headquarters.

Through her portrayal, the film accentuates in a high-pitched tone the idea that revolutionaries of chuche type should only trust and follow the great leader and the glorious party centre and walk unswervingly along the road of the revolution under whatever circumstances like Manbyongcho of Mt. Paekdu which blossoms under the sunrays even in snow storms.

The feature film "Through Trials" released by the Korean Film Studio shows the heroic struggle of our people who covered an untrodden path in the history of chuche-based city construction, upholding the unique policy of pre-fab construction set forth by the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song in the period of the postwar rehabilitation and construction.

Standing in the centre of the film is Choe Yong-ho, the hero, who is made the first minister of construction of working class origin after liberation by the deep trust of the great leader.

Workers including the hero create the miracle of building flats for 20,000 families with funds for 7,000 families, smashing all manner of manoeuvres of factionalists and mythicists towards technique, and convincingly prove the validity and great vitality of the great leader's original policy of pre-fab construction.

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N. KOREA/KOREANS IN JAPAN

TOKYO MEETING MARKS DPRK NATIONALITY LAW

SK101045 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1034 GMT 10 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--A central meeting of Koreans in Japan was held at the Korean House of Culture in Tokyo on October 8 to mark the 20th anniversary of the enactment and promulgation of the Law on the Nationality of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea by the great leader Marshal Kim Il-song.

Placed on the platform of the meeting hall were a portrait of the great leader Marshal Kim Il-song and a portrait of the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il.

Han Tok-su, chairman of the Central Standing Committee of the General Association of Korean Residents in Japan (Chongnyon), made a speech at the meeting.

The enactment and promulgation of the Law on the DPRK Nationality which was a concentric expression of the compatriotic policy of the great leader was a historic event firmly guaranteeing the legal position of the compatriots in Japan, he noted, and stressed:

With the enactment of the law, all the overseas Koreans including compatriots in Japan came to live proudly with a legal position as nationals of a dignified independent and sovereign state and proudly exercise national sovereignty and civil rights in an alien land far away from the homeland under the legal protection of the DPRK.

The promulgation of the law dealt a heavy blow at the reactionaries at home and abroad who infringe upon the civil rights of the compatriots in Japan and try to realise their despicable purpose.

The law is a brilliant fruition of the great leader's protracted great efforts to make our people lead a free and dignified life as nationals of an independent and sovereign state.

Referring to the great successes achieved by the Chongnyon functionaries and compatriots over the past 20 years in the endeavours for defending the honor and rights as overseas citizens of the DPRK and adding lustre to them,

the speaker stressed: All the compatriots in Japan should invariably advance along the road of loyalty in any difficult period with ardent reverence for the great leader and the glorious party centre.

A letter to the great leader Marshal Kim Il-song was adopted at the meeting.

The meeting also adopted a letter of request to the Japanese Government.

It closed with a chorus of song "Long Life and Good Health to the Leader."

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N. KOREA/KOREANS IN JAPAN

CHONGNYON RESPONSE TO FILM ON KIM CHONG-IL PRC VISIT

SK130501 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0356 GMT 13 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 13 (KCNA)--"China Visit of Comrade Kim Chong-il, Member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau, and Secretary, of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea," a documentary film showing the whole course of the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il's visit to China, is being screened at organisations of the General Association of Korean Residents in Japan (Chongnyon) throughout Japan.

Chongnyon functionaries and compatriots in Japan who saw the film are deeply impressed and excited by the fact that the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il enjoys high international authority and prestige as an outstanding leader of the era of chajusong (independence).

Kwon Yong-chun, director of the Tohoku Korean Primary, Middle and High School, said:

When Chinese leaders received the dear leader, they are filled with the feelings of respect and intimacy and noble sense of comradesly obligation for revolutionary comrade-in-arms, going beyond the usual practice of meeting a distinguished foreign guest.

Seeing such scenes, I felt great pride and honour in holding the sagacious and great leader in high esteem.

Pak Tae-chun, a teacher of Tokyo Korean Primary School No. 3, said:

The noble traits and generous, kind-hearted and boundlessly modest personality of the dear leader like those of the respected leader Marshal Kim Il-song in his young age and his great revolutionary traits deeply moved not only Chinese leaders and people but all the people who saw the film.

Seeing the film, I keenly felt that it is only the dear leader who leads our people to victory for the accomplishment of the chuche cause started by the respected leader.

O Sunwhui, a teacher of the Tokyo Korean Middle and High School, said:

A scene showing the dear leader meeting Comrade Deng Yingchao, an old leading cadre of China, with tenderness is a very impressive one showing the revolutionary comradeship and sense of obligation on the highest level.

Indeed, I was deeply moved by unbouhdedly lofty personality and virtues of the dear leader.

Pak Sam-ho, chairman of the Kuwana, Mie Prefecture, branch of Chongnyon, said that the dear leader's visit to China has made a great contribution to strengthening the friendship and unity between the Korean and Chinese peoples. He further said:

The dear leader who enjoys ardent reverence and respect of the Chinese people performed imperishable great revolutionary feats in carrying forward and developing for ever generation after generation the relations of fraternal friendship between the Korean and Chinese peoples provided by the respected leader.

While seeing the film, I firmly believed that the blood-sealed friendship and unity between the Korean and Chinese peoples which the respected leader provided and the dear leader glorifies is indestructible.

This invincible strength will make a great contribution to accomplishing our people's cause of the reunification and firmly guarantee the victory of the world people's cause of anti-imperialism and independence.

Yi Hyong-kun, director of the trade and industry department of the Federation of Korean Traders and Industrialists in Japan, said after seeing the film: The dear leader's visit to China was a world-startling great historic event and greatly contributed to the accomplishment of the just cause of the Korean and Chinese peoples and the world's revolutionary people.

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N. KOREA/FOREIGN RELATIONS

KCNA CITES PRC DAILY REPORT ON PRC-DPRK TIES

SK120110 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2243 GMT 11 Oct 83

[Text] Beijing, October 10 (KCNA)--The Chinese "People's Daily" on October 10 carried an article by the reporters' group which had accompanied the Chinese party and government delegation in its Korean visit under the headline "Sino-Korean Friendship Will Shine Through All Generations."

Noting that the Chinese party and government delegation led by Comrades Peng Zhen and Hu Qili was warmly welcomed and accorded hospitality overflowing with friendship of the Workers' Party, government and People's Army of Korea and her people in Pyongyang, Wonsan and Sinuiju, the paper says:

President Kim Il-song, the great leader of the Korean people and a close friend of the Chinese people, in the midst of his busy days, found time to receive the entire members of the Chinese party and government delegation and arrange a luncheon for them, and Comrade Kim Chong-il and other leading comrades of the party and government accompanied the delegation in its tour of inspection and visit to Wonsan and different parts of Pyongyang.

We deeply felt that the relations between the Chinese and Korean parties and states are close relations in sharing weal and woe and the blood-cemented friendship between the two peoples is a great friendship which had withstood trials of many years.

Referring to the impressions the delegation got while inspecting the Grand People's Study House, the National Economy Institute, the Pyongyang Metro, the Ponghwa and Mirim lock gates, the Wonsan Honored Disabled Soldiers Resin Daily Necessaries Factory, the Pyongyang-Wonsan express highway and others, the paper says:

What we saw were only a few of the great many successes achieved in the 35 year long construction of Korea. But they explain that the Korean people have performed great feats without precedent under the leadership along the correct line of independence in politics, self-support in economy and self-reliance in national defence put forward by President Kim Il-song and the Workers' Party of Korea.

Dwelling on the great Sino-Korean friendship, the paper continues:

In the days of our Korean visit we spent each day amid the pleasure of friendship.

The warm and grand welcome of the Korean people fully showed their deep sentiments toward the Chinese party, government and people and at the same time evoked warm sympathy of the same feelings cherished deep in our hearts.

During the visit of the delegation to Korea the Korean comrades fully supported once again the Chinese people's struggle to accomplish the cause of reunification by having Taiwan returned to the homeland and the Chinese comrades on their part resolutely supported the Korean people's struggle for the independent and peaceful reunification of the country and the proposal for founding the Democratic Confederal Republic of Koryo advanced by President Kim Il-song.

All this testifies to the fact that the Sino-Korean friendship sealed in blood in the flames of war has pulled through storms and struck deep roots in the hearts of the two peoples.

This great friendship between the Chinese and Korean peoples was formed and nursed by Comrades Mao Zedong and Zhou Enlai and Comrade Kim Il-song and it is close relations of complete equality, mutual respect, mutual trust and mutual support; it is based on the principles of Marxism-Leninism and proletarian internationalism.

This noble traditional friendship is now being carried forward and developed in the relations between the two parties and two countries of China and Korea.

The Korea visit of Comrades Hu Yaobang and Deng Xiaoping and the China visit of Comrade Kim Il-song last year and the China visit of Comrade Kim Chong-il in June this year all brought satisfactory successes.

The supreme leaders of the two parties recorded an important chapter in the history of Sino-Korean relations through their sincere, cordial meetings and talks and lifted the relations of Sino-Korean friendship to a new stage of development.

During our visit we keenly felt that the Sino-Korean friendship has a deep and solid foundation.

In conclusion the paper stresses that the blood-cemented Sino-Korean friendship will be conveyed through generations, develop still further and shine forever.

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KCNA ON MALAGASY JOURNALIST'S DPRK TRAVELOGUE

SK120059 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2229 GMT 11 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 11 (KCNA)--The Malagasy paper "Tolom-Vahoaka" carries in eleven instalments impressions of Korea by its director Rabenaivo Charles under the headline "Born in Happiness To Work for Motherland and People."

The paper prints a portrait of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song and a portrait of the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il.

Also carried in the paper are pictures of the Tower of Chuche Idea, the Arch of Triumph, Kim Il-song University, the Grand People's Study House, the Pyongyang Maternity Hospital, the Changgwang Health Complex and the Changgwang Street and pictures showing the economic development of our country and the happy life of our people.

Recalling his visit to the Pyongyang Maternity Hospital, the author says:

The maternity hospital has all the modern facilities best in the world.

Korean children are born happily, indeed.

The dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il showed great care for its construction, not sparing fund.

In Korea the state takes care of the children's health from their birth and educates them free of charge while they go through the nurseries and kindergartens and schools of all levels up to university.

Calling the children "king" of the country, President Kim Il-song spares nothing for them.

Dealing with the development of education in our country, he says: The education is run through with the chuche idea at the schools of all levels. State enforced the universal 11-year compulsory education.

On his visit to a cooperative farm in Korea, he writes:

The state supplies tractors and farm machines to the cooperative farms and irrigation projects are also carried out at state expense. It also builds dwelling houses for the peasants.

All farm work is done by machines in Korea.

Introducing the superiority of the socialist system of our country, he continues:

The socialist system of Korea provides all people with jobs in accordance with their hope and ability.

The workers are given dwelling houses by the state and supplied with rice at prices next to nil.

Korea has already joined the ranks of the industrial powers.

The Korean people are vigorously advancing towards a brighter future.

Concluding his travelogue, the author stresses:

The Korean people is an industrious and united people.

Korea is a country where the people are working miracles startling the world people, all of them united as one around the great President Kim Il-song and dear Comrade Kim Chong-il and an earthly paradise where all people lead a happy life.

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KIM IL-SONG RECEIVES MESSAGES FROM FOREIGN LEADERS

Bulgaria's Zhivkov

SK092244 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2200 GMT 9 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, general secretary of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea and president of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, and Comrade Yi Chong-ok, premier of the Administration Council, received a message from Comrade Todor Zhivkov, general secretary of the Central Committee of the Bulgarian Communist Party and president of the State Council of the Bulgarian People's Republic, and Comrade Grisha Filipov, chairman of the Council of Ministers of the BPR, in reply to their messages of greetings respectively sent to them on the occasion of the 39th anniversary of the victory of the socialist revolution in Bulgaria.

The reply message dated October 5 reads:

We extend most wholehearted thanks to you for your warm greetings and good wishes on the occasion of the 39th anniversary of the victory of the socialist revolution in Bulgaria.

We fully share with you the conviction that the traditional relations of friendship and cooperation between our two parties, countries and peoples will strengthen and develop in the future, too, in the interest of the common struggle against imperialism and for the victory of the cause of socialism and communism.

Foreign Leaders

SK110430 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0343 GMT 11 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 11 (KCNA)--The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, general secretary of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea and president of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, received messages of greetings from party and state leaders of various countries on the occasion of the 35th anniversary of the founding of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

Seyed 'Ali Khameney, president of the Islamic Republic of Iran, said in his message:

The two governments of the Islamic Republic of Iran and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea are making all necessary efforts to attain the friendly goal and further consolidate and develop the existing relations.

I believe that our increasing efforts would further strengthen the relations between the Islamic Republic of Iran and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

Herbert Mies, chairman of the German Communist Party, expressed support to the line of the Workers' Party of Korea for the national self-determination of the Korean people and for reunification and strongly demanded that the U.S. troops withdraw from South Korea, taking along their nuclear and other weapons.

Remy Giacomini, chairman of the Socialist Party of San Marino, said: The Socialist Party of San Marino, as an active supporter of the Workers' Party of Korea and the Korean people and a friendly party, will struggle for Korea's reunification and denounce the scheme to form a U.S.-Japan-South Korea tripartite alliance.

Kalevi Kivisto, chairman, and Jorma Hentila, secretary-general, of the Finnish People's Democratic League, stressed that their league will as ever support with might and main the Korean people's just struggle for socialist construction and national reunification.

Jorge Kolle, first secretary, and Marcos Domic, chief in charge of international affairs, of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Bolivia, wished Korea new success in socialist construction and reaffirmed friendly relations between the two parties based on the principle of proletarian internationalism.

Greeted by Foreign Leaders

SK120406 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0343 GMT 12 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 12 (KCNA)--The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, general secretary of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea and president of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, received messages of greetings from party and state leaders of various countries on the occasion of the 38th anniversary of the founding of the WPK.

In his message Mathieu Kerekou, chairman of the Central Committee of the Party of the People's Revolution of Benin, president and head of state and chairman of the National Executive Council of the People's Republic of Benin, highly estimated the brilliant victories consistently won by the courageous and industrious Korean people under the wise guidance of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song.

Joao Bernardo Vieira, secretary-general of the African Party for Independence of Guinea-Bissau and Cape Verde and president of the Revolutionary Council of the Republic of Guinea-Bissau, in his message said: I extend felicitations to your people, your party and the government of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea for the great achievements made in the struggle for consolidating national independence and building a socialist society under the wise leadership of the Workers' Party of Korea, the vanguard, headed by you the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song.

Didier Ratsiraka, general secretary of the Malagasy Vanguard of Revolution and president of Madagascar, in his message said that the Malagasy Vanguard of Revolution expresses support for Korea's reunification to the proposal for founding the Democratic Federal Republic of Koryo and the new proposal for establishing a unified government of a confederal state in which the Supreme National Confederal Assembly and the Confederal Standing Committee elect co-chairmen both from the North and South, who will discharge their duties in turn.

Gnassingbe Eyadema, president-founder of the Togolese People's Rally and president of Togo, said in his message: We follow and highly praise the continued victories won by the great Workers' Party of Korea taking the chuche idea as its guideline to build a peaceful, free and just world based on firm solidarity among the people with the eternal happiness of the Korean people as its goal.

In his message Dominic Mintoff, prime minister of Malta, reaffirmed solidarity and close friendship with the Workers' Party of Korea and the Korean people and expressed full support to Korea's peaceful reunification.

Lars Werner, chairman of the Left Party-Communists of Sweden, in his message denounced the U.S. imperialists' moves aggravating the situation in Korea.

Reply From Mexican President

SK130045 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2203 GMT 12 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 13 (KCNA)--The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, president of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, received a message from Miguel de la Madrid Hurtado, president of the United States of Mexico, in reply to his message of greetings sent to the latter on the occasion of the 173rd anniversary of the independence of Mexico.

The reply message dated October 5 reads:

It give me great pleasure to express deep thanks to Your Excellency in the name of the Mexican Government and people for Your Excellency's message of greetings on the occasion of the Independence Day of Mexico.

I heartily wish Your Excellency happiness and hope for the strengthening of the friendship between our two countries.

Reply From Malian Leader

SK140023 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2206 GMT 13 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 14 (KCNA)--The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, general secretary of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea and president of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, received a message from General Moussa Traore, general secretary of the Malian People's Democratic Union and president of the Republic of Mali, in reply to his message of greetings sent to the latter on the occasion of the 23rd anniversary of the proclamation of the Republic of Mali.

The reply message dated October 8 reads:

I received with particular concern your felicitations extended to me on the 23rd anniversary of the independence of Mali.

I am convinced that the excellent relations of friendship and cooperation existing between our two countries will further consolidate in the future, too, and this will be happiness for our two peoples.

I sincerely wish you happiness and the Korean people eternal prosperity.

With highest considerations.

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TOKYO MEETING RECALLS DPRK CELEBRATIONS

SK081037 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1019 GMT 8 Oct 83

[Text] Tokyo, October 6 (KNS-KCNA)--A meeting to hear reports from Japanese personages who had attended the celebrations of the 35th anniversary of the founding of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea was held on October 3 at the Hall No. 2 of the Japanese House of Representatives in Tokyo.

The meeting was jointly sponsored by the Japan Socialist Party, the General Council of Trade Unions of Japan (Sohyo), the Japan Committee for Supporting the Independent and Peaceful Reunification of Korea and the Japan-Korea Society for Cultural Interchange.

A speech of Seiichi Katsumata, socialist member of the House of Representatives, was followed by reports of Togo Yoneda, socialist member of the House of Representatives, Takashi Sakano, permanent councillor of Sohyo, Hiroshi Wakabayashi, secretary general of the Japan Committee for Supporting the Independent and Peaceful Reunification of Korea, and Amehiko Aoki, journalist and member of the Japan-Korea Society for Cultural Interchange.

The speaker and reporters said that the celebrations of the 35th DPRK birthday held in the presence of the great President Kim Il-song and dear Comrade Kim Chong-il were a grand demonstration which showed the glorious 35 year long path traversed by the DPRK under the banner of the chuche idea and displayed the indestructible unity of the Korean people rallied close around President Kim Il-song and Comrade Kim Chong-il.

They noted that President Kim Il-song's speech at the banquet celebrating the 35th DPRK birthday is an immortal classic work lighting the path of the independent reunification of Korea and of the building of socialism and communism and an invaluable document which serves as a programmatic guideline in the strengthening and development of the Non-Aligned Movement.

The celebrations vividly showed that President Kim Il-song is an outstanding leader who is guiding in the van the cause of anti-imperialism and independence for making the whole world independent and the Non-Aligned Movement and how high the international prestige of Korea guided by him is.

They unanimously said they became convinced, visiting grandly and beautifully built Pyongyang and industrial establishments, rural villages and various domains during their stay in Korea, that the future of the DPRK under the leadership of President Kim Il-song and Comrade Kim Chong-il is bright, indeed.

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KIM IL-SONG SENDS GREETINGS TO FOREIGN LEADERS

Cyprus' Papaioannou

SK071544 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1532 GMT 7 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, general secretary of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea, sent a message of greetings on October 7 to Ezekias Papaioannou, general secretary of the Central Committee of the Progressive Party of the Working People of Cyprus, on his 75th birthday.

The message reads:

On your 75th birthday, I extend warm felicitations to the Central Committee of the Progressive Party of the Working People of Cyprus and to you on behalf of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea and on my own.

I wish you good health and the Progressive Party of the Working People of Cyprus greater successes under your leadership in the struggle against imperialism and colonialism and for the country's complete independence and territorial integrity and for the building of a nonaligned and democratic Cyprus.

Equatorial Guinean President

SK120113 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2256 GMT 11 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 11 (KCNA)--The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, president of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, on October 11 sent a message of greetings to Obiang Nguema Mbasogo, president of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea, on the occasion of the National Day of the republic.

The message reads:

I, on behalf of the government of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the Korean people and on my own behalf, extend warm congratulations to Your Excellency and your government and people on the occasion of the National Day of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea.

Today the Equatorial Guinean people are doing much work for consolidating the national independence and building a new society under your leadership.

I take this opportunity of wishing Your Excellency and your people great success in the struggle for the independent development of the country and expressing the belief that the friendly and cooperative relations between our two countries will grow stronger and develop each day.

Replies to Party Leaders

SK111055 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1005 GMT 11 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 11 (KCNA)--The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song sent messages to party leaders of various countries in reply to their messages of greetings to him on the occasion of the 35th birthday of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

Reply messages were sent to Comrade Dragoslav Markovic, president of the Presidency of the Central Committee of the League of Communists of Yugoslavia; V. Ratakul, leader of the Thai Democratic Party; Ezekias Papaionannou, general secretary of the Central Committee of the Progressive Party of the Working People of Cyprus; Dr. Vassos Lyssarides, chairman of the Central Committee of the Socialist Party of Cyprus; C. Rajeswara Rao, general secretary of the National Council of the Communist Party of India; E.M.S. Namboodiripad, general secretary of the Committee of the Communist Party of India (Marxist); Masashi Ishibashi, chairman of the Central Executive Committee of the Japan Socialist Party; Oliver Tambo, president of the African National Congress of South Africa; Hans I. Kleven, chairman of the Central Committee of the Norwegian Communist Party; Gert Petersen, chairman of the Central Committee of the Socialist People's Party of Denmark; Herbert Mies, chairman of the German Communist Party; Armand Magnin, general secretary of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Switzerland; Lars Werner, president of the Left Party-Communists of Sweden; Franz Muhri, chairman of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Austria; Henry Winston, national chairman, and Gus Hall, general secretary, of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of the United States of America; Jorge Kolle, first secretary, and Marcos Tomic, chief in charge of international affairs, of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Bolivia; William Kashtan, general secretary of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Canada; and Jorge del Prado, general secretary, and Asuncion Cavarello Mendez, secretary of international relations, of the Central Committee of the Peruvian Communist Party.

The great leader Comrade Kim Il-song expressed deep thanks to the party leaders of various countries for the warm congratulations extended in the name of their party central committees on the occasion of the 35th DPRK founding anniversary and full support to the Korean people in the struggle for the independent reunification of the country.

In his reply messages he expressed the belief that successes will be achieved in their noble work against imperialists' new war policy and for peace, democracy and social progress.

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REPORTAGE ON ACTIVITIES OF KIM CHONG-IL

Treatises Carried in Foreign Papers

SK070822 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0808 GMT 7 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--Foreign papers recently carried treatises of the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il.

The Tunisian paper "Anonce" and the Burundi paper "Ubumwe" carried the full texts of "1) The Masses of the People Are the Subject of Social History" and "3) The Socio-Historical Movement Is a Creative Movement of the Popular Masses" from "The Socio-Historical Principles of the Chuche Idea," the third part of the treatise "On the Chuche Idea."

The Cameroonian paper "La Gazette" carried "(2) Independence in Politics" of "1) The Independent Stand Must Be Maintained" from "The Guiding Principles of the Chuche Idea," the fourth part of this treatise.

In the preface the paper says:

Political chajusong (independence) is the first and foremost feature of an independent and sovereign state and its first and foremost life.

The dear leader of the Korean people Comrade Kim Chong-il is strictly maintaining chajusong in party and state activities and bringing it to shining embodiment.

His Excellency Kim Chong-il, member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau, and secretary, of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea, is a great thinker and theoretician and a genius of revolution and construction.

The Netherlandish paper "Het Parool" and the Icelandic paper "Visit Dogbladet" carried summaries of the treatise "Let Us Advance Under the Banner of Marxism-Leninism and the Chuche Idea."

Foreign Groups Send Letters

SK070025 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2216 GMT 6 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 6 (KCNA)--The dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il received letters from celebrations of the 35th anniversary of the founding of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea which were held in various countries.

A letter adopted at a mass meeting held in Korea village in Barari District, Khartoum, said that over the past 35 years the Democratic People's Republic of Korea under the wise and tested guidance of the great President Kim Il-song and the dear leader His Excellency Kim Chong-il has made great successes in the socialist revolution and construction and in the struggle against imperialists and their stooges.

A letter adopted at a celebration meeting of the Burma-Korea Friendship Association said that the Korean people are enjoying a rich material and cultural life to their heart's content and vigorously advancing towards a hopeful future, filled with revolutionary optimism under the benevolent socialist system in which the chuche idea founded by the respected leader President Kim Il-song and further enriched by the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il has been embodied.

A letter adopted at a celebration meeting organised by the Sierra Leone-Korea Friendship Association said: We are convinced that the man who will carry forward the cause of the great leader is you, the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il, seeing Your Excellency's wise guidance in correctly leading the DPRK along the road of victory, carrying forward the cause of His Excellency great President Kim Il-song.

A letter from a celebration meeting held at Revolutionary Accessory Parts Factory of Democratic Yemen noted that today the DPRK has brought about a great change in the revolution and construction by vigorously carrying on the three revolutions, ideological, technical and cultural, under the banner of modelling the whole of society of the chuche idea, to be highly praised by the world people as the "fatherland of chuche" and a "model country of socialism."

A letter adopted at a central celebration meeting of the Syrian Arab Republic stressed that the Syrian Arab people standing on the forefront of the struggle against U.S. imperialists and Zionists under the leadership of the Arab Socialist Ba'th Party will always support and encourage the just cause of the friendly Korean people.

A letter from a lecture given in Enmore, Guyana, said that the founding of the DPRK was a grand declaration announcing the birth of the fatherland of chuche and it has become a beacon of hope for the world revolutionary people in their struggle against imperialism and for national liberation.

The letters wholeheartedly wished the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il good health and a long life.

Maltese Chuche Seminar Held

SK072245 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2228 GMT 7 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--A Maltese national seminar on the chuche idea was held recently in Valletta on the occasion of the 35th anniversary of the founding of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

Placed on the platform of the seminar hall were a portrait of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song and portraits of Agatha Barbara, president, and Dominic Mintoff, prime minister, of the Republic of Malta.

On display in the seminar hall were classic works of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, writings of Comrade Kim Chong-il and Korean publications and photographs showing the successes of our people.

Present at the seminar were Daniel Micallef, speaker of the House of Representatives, Alfred Micallef, minister of labour and social services, Renald Dalli, chairman of the Malta Labour Party, A. Busttil, financial secretary of the party, Paul Gafa, head of the administration of the party, director of the board of the International Institute of the Chuche Idea and chairman of the Malta National Committee for the Study of the Chuche Idea, chairmen and secretaries of the clubs of the party, members of the groups for the study of the chuche idea, political and public figures and men of the press, more than 300 in all.

A congratulatory letter sent by Maltese President Agatha Barbara to the seminar was conveyed at the seminar.

Following congratulatory speeches, Paul Gafa, head of the administration of the Malta Labour Party, director of the board of the International Institute of the Chuche Idea and chairman of the Malta National Committee for the Study of the Chuche Idea, made a report titled "The Chuche Idea Is a Great Revolutionary Doctrine for Realising the Chajusong (Independence) of the Country and Nation" and many persons made speeches on the subjects "The Chuche Idea Is New Man-Centred Philosophical Idea," "Comrade Kim Il-song, Founder of the Immortal Chuche Idea, Is Great Leader of the Era of Chajusong," "The Dear Leader Comrade Kim Chong-il Is an Outstanding Thinker and Theoretician of Our Era," "Human History Is History of Struggle for the Chajusong of the Popular Masses" and "The Guiding Principle of the Chuche Idea Is Fundamental Principle for Successfully Carrying Out the Revolution and Construction."

The reporter and speakers stressed that the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song is an outstanding thinker and theoretician who has brought about a revolutionary change in the development of human thought by founding the immortal chuche idea which takes the highest and most brilliant place in the ideological history of mankind and a great strategist and genius of leadership guiding along the road of victory the grand revolutionary cause of building a new world of independence.

Noting that the chuche idea founded by the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song is further developed and enriched by the outstanding ideological and theoretical activities of the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il, they said that Comrade Kim Chong-il is an outstanding thinker and theoretician who has comprehensively systematized the contents of the chuche idea and developed in depth its fundamentals and guiding principles.

They said that as the chuche idea correctly reflects the demand of a new era when the popular masses have emerged as the masters of history and masters of their own destinies and gives a scientific exposition of the theoretical and practical problems arising in hewing out the destinies of the popular masses, it is the guiding idea of the revolution and construction and a powerful weapon for building a new society.

Only when they arm themselves with the chuche idea indicating the road of making revolution from the independent and creative stand can the peoples of all countries discharge their responsibilities as masters of the revolution, work out policies and lines conforming with their specific conditions in accordance with their judgement and faith and successfully carry out the revolution and construction, they stated.

A letter to the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song and a letter to the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il were adopted at the seminar.

Maltese Chuche Group Adopts Letter

SK120831 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0824 GMT 12 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 12 (KCNA)--A letter to the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il was adopted at the Maltese national seminar on the chuche idea which was held on the occasion of the 35th anniversary of the founding of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

Noting that the chuche idea successfully carried forward and developed by the dear leader His Excellency Kim Chong-il is a great idea representing our era, the era of chajusong (independence), the letter said:

The classic treatise "On the Chuche Idea" published by Your Excellency in March last year gives a comprehensive exposition of the philosophical principle, socio-historical principles and guiding principles of the chuche idea and gives scientific answers to all problems arising in the building of a new society to make a great contribution to the development of human thought and theory, to the cause of human liberation and to the development and enrichment of the treasure-house of Kimilsongism.

Indeed, Your Excellency the dear leader are an outstanding leader of the era of chajusong throwing the brighter rays of chuche all over the world like the sun which rose high in the east.

We who are deeply interested in the destiny of mankind are filled with the determination to staunchly struggle to hasten the victory of the cause of

making the whole world independent, cherishing the great pride and self-confidence in holding Your Excellency the dear leader in high esteem as a guide.

The letter sincerely wished the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il good health and a long life.

Film Shown in Japan

SK100810 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0759 GMT 10 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--The documentary film "The China Visit of Comrade Kim Chong-il, Member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau, and Secretary, of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea," is being screened in various parts of Japan.

It was shown at the 37th regular meeting of the Osaka District Council of Trade Unions on September 21 and in Aichi Prefecture, Kyoto and Sedagaya of Tokyo on September 28, in Nishitama of Tokyo on September 29 and at the Lower House Assembly Hall of the Diet in Tokyo on October 3.

The spectators were deeply impressed while seeing in the film an enthusiastic welcome accorded Comrade Kim Chong-il, member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau, and secretary, of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea, by Chinese leaders and people.

Togo Yoneda, socialist member of the Lower House and general secretary of the Dietmen's League for Promotion of Japan-Korea Friendship, said:

Truly impressive are scenes showing the external activities of Comrade Kim Chong-il. He is a great person with qualities and traits of an outstanding leader.

Indeed, Comrade Kim Chong-il's visit to China has opened a bright way to develop and strengthen generation after generation the traditional friendly relations provided and nursed by the leaders of Korea and China.

Writer Kiyoshi Ishii said:

Comrade Kim Chong-il is a truly tender-hearted person.

Seeing his tender-heartedness, modesty and energetic feature shown during his visit to China, I realized that he is a great person possessed of distinguished qualities and traits of a leader of people.

While seeing Comrade Kim Chong-il having a conversation with Chinese party and state leaders in an atmosphere overflowing with trust, I firmly believed that the blood-cemented relations between the Korean and Chinese peoples are indestructible.

Yoshihiro Ito, a worker of a tourist agency, said:

No relations are so firm as the blood-cemented relations between the Korean and Chinese peoples in this world. This is a great contribution to peace in Asia.

Yonesaburo Cho, general secretary of the Aichi Prefectural People's Council for Supporting Korea's Independent and Peaceful Reunification, said:

I realised that the traditional friendly relations between Korea and China are very firm. The Chinese party and government leaders and people warmly welcomed the visit of Comrade Kim Chong-il.

Bright indeed is the future of the Korean people under the guidance of an outstanding leader.

Tanzanian Praises Kim Chong-il

SK101129 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1116 GMT 10 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--Khalid J. Mika, a journalist of the Tanzanian Radio Broadcasting Station, recently published an article titled "Comrade Kim Chong-il Makes an Outstanding Contribution to World Peace."

He said:

The dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il clearly indicated the way for us to safeguard peace and security in the world.

The dear leader, a symbol of resources and hope, strength and wisdom and genius of outstanding guidance, seeing through the danger to peace and security in all parts of the world, called upon all the people desirous of peace and security of mankind to rise in the struggle for smashing the U.S. imperialists' new war provocation moves and defending world peace in firm unity, transcending the difference in political view, religious belief and social system.

This is a very important problem in the present situation when humanity is faced with a serious problem, new global war or peace.

The dear leader who made tireless efforts for world peace and security set forth the following important tasks of mankind:

Firstly, all the progressive and peaceloving forces of the world including the socialist forces, international communist movement, national liberation movement, democratic movement and non-aligned movement should form an anti-U.S. united front and mount a collective attack on the U.S. imperialists so that they may not run riot.

Secondly, all the anti-imperialist independent forces should check and frustrate the frantic arms buildup and war preparations of the imperialists

and force the U.S. imperialists to dismantle their military bases in other countries and withdraw the U.S. troops and their nuclear and other mass destruction weapons from there.

Thirdly, they should persistently struggle for the dissolution of military blocs, establishment and expansion of nuclear-free, peace zones in different parts of the world and realization of universal and complete disarmament.

This policy put forward by the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il serves as a programmatic guideline in preserving world peace and security.

We will vigorously advance, following Comrade Kim Chong-il who has made an outstanding contribution to world peace.

Letters From Foreign Groups

SK102359 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2234 GMT 10 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--The dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il received congratulatory messages and letters from various countries of the world in connection with the first conference of ministers of education and culture of non-aligned and other developing countries.

They came from Mustafa Jaber, director of the board of the International Institute of the Chuche Idea; Fred Agbobli, chief of the Literati and Artiste Branch of the Ghana National Institute of the Chuche Idea; Shamsul Alam, chairman of the Central Committee of the Bangladesh Self-Reliance Research Academy; Rodrigo Montaluiza Vivas, chief of the Group for the Study of the Chuche Idea of the Latin American Students Studying in Geneva, Switzerland; Loanzo Ellis, chief of the St. Andrew Group for the Study of the Chuche Idea in Kingston, Jamaica; and other organisations for the study of the chuche idea; Jaime Cerruto Flores, secretary general of the Peruvian Committee for Supporting the Independent and Peaceful Reunification of Korea; Emmanuel Zammit, secretary general of the Malta-Korea Friendship Association; Mohammad Aslam Nagi, general secretary of the Lahore Pakistan-Korea Friendship Association; Om Prakash Mantri, secretary general of the All India Indo-Korean Friendship Association; and other organisations for supporting Korea's reunification and friendship organisations in foreign countries; Asuncion Caballero Mendez, president, and Laura A. Campos, secretary general, of the Peruvian Movement for National Sovereignty, International Solidarity and World Peace; Ouedraogo Manadou Zongbe, director of the Upper Volta paper "Le Soleil de Haute-Volta"; Dr. Mohamed Mekki Said Ahmed, acting rector of the Khartoum Music and Drama Institute of the Sudan; and other personages of public circles of various countries.

The messages and letters extend warmest congratulations and greetings to the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il and wholeheartedly wish good health and a long life to him.

They stress that the Democratic People's Republic of Korea is called a land of learning, a land of education and the kingdom of art today. This is a result of the energetic and wide guidance of the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il who is developing and enriching the ideas and theories of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song on education and culture.

World Public Praises Leadership

SK111046 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1030 GMT 11 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 11 (KCNA)--World public highly speaks of Comrade Kim Chong-il for further developing and strengthening the Workers' Party of Korea into a revolutionary party of chuche type with his untiring energetic activities.

G. P. Rajbhandari, deputy director of High School Padma-Kanya Vidyasharam, Nepal, said:

Dear Comrade Kim Chong-il was elected member of the Presidium of the Political Bureau, and secretary, of the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea to be leader of the party and state reflecting the unanimous will and desires of the entire Korean people, at the Sixth Congress of the Workers' Party of Korea, which was held in October 1980.

It is the greatest glory of the world's revolutionary people that the Korean people have Comrade Kim Chong-il as the leader of the revolution.

The Tanzanian paper "Mfanya Kazi" in an article titled "Korean Spirit Indicating the Way of Building of a Revolutionary Party of Chuche Type" wrote:

The dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il is further developing and strengthening the Workers' Party of Korea into a revolutionary party of chuche type.

He gave encyclopedic, profound answers to all problems arising in the building of a revolutionary party of chuche type--the problem of basic direction and way in establishing the party's monolithic ideological system, the problem of modelling the whole of society on the chuche idea, the fundamental principle and ways for strengthening guidance to the revolution and construction, the problem of effecting a new turn in the party work system and method and so forth. As a result, a great guideline was provided for the people of the countries making revolution to build a revolutionary and militant party and develop it into an invincible detachment and the most correct way was illumined to carry out the revolutionary struggle and the work of construction triumphantly under the guidance of the leader.

The Ghanaian paper "Weekly Spectator" noted:

Comrade Kim Chong-il is a sagacious leader carrying forward and accomplishing the revolutionary cause of chuche started by the respected leader President Kim Il-song, by leading the great Workers' Party of Korea.

He has been leading the whole party and society with his extraordinary wisdom, tested leadership and inexhaustible energy to strengthen the Workers' Party of Korea into an ever-victorious revolutionary party of chuche type and bring the Korean revolution to a new higher stage.

Letters From Overseas

SK121040 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1023 GMT 12 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 12 (KCNA)--The dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il received congratulatory messages and letters from various countries of the world on the occasion of the 35th anniversary of the founding of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

Letters or messages came from the chairman of the Finnish Committee for the Study of the Chuche Idea who is director of the board of the International Institute of the Chuche Idea, the chairman of the Latin American Group for the Study of the Chuche Idea, the chief of the Group for the Study of the Chuche Idea of Writers and Artists of Madagascar, the chairman of the Central Committee of the Bangladesh Self-Reliance Research Academy, the chairman of the Zimbabwean National Committee for the Study of the Chuche Idea, the secretary general of the Chuche Idea Study Society of India, the chairman of the U.S. Lawyers Committee on Korea who is vice-president of the International Liaison Committee for the Independent and Peaceful Reunification of Korea, the chairman of the Latin American and Caribbean Regional Committee To Support the Reunification of Korea who is the second vice-president of the Chamber of Deputies of the Venezuelan Congress, the chairman of the Guyanese Committee for Supporting the Reunification of Korea, the chairman of the Geneva Committee for Supporting the Reunification of Korea, the chairman of the Greece-Korea Friendship Association, the chairman of the Senegal-Korea Friendship Parliamentary Group, the secretary general of the Peru-Korea Institute of Culture and Friendship, the chairman of the Society for the Promotion of the Relations Between Austria and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the chairman of the Hiroshima Prefectural Headquarters of the Japan Socialist Party, member of the Parliament of the Islamic Republic of Iran Sadeq Khalhali, the national chairman of the Young Socialist Movement of Guyana, the chairman of the General Workers' Union of Malta, the chairman of the American Soldiers Union, the chairman of the Portuguese Council of Peace and Cooperation, the director general of the World Intellectual Property Organisation, the newly elected secretary-general of the World Meteorological Organisation, the secretary general of the International League of Women for Peace and Freedom, the general manager of the Ghana News Agency, the editor-in-chief of the organ of the People's National Congress of Guyana "New Nation," the staff of the Lebanese paper "Al Sharq" office, the editor of the Indian paper "Sakshi," the president of the African Journalists Union, the general manager of the Ahlan Special Association of Kuwait, the president of the Bangladesh International Fibre Company, the crewmen of the Japanese ships "Showa-Maru No. 3" and "Kinsho-Maru No. 1," organisations for the study of the chuche idea, the committees for supporting Korea's reunification and friendship

organisations in various countries, international organisations, political, public, press and business circles and crewmen of foreign ships.

The congratulatory messages and letters extended warmest felicitations and fervent greetings to the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il and wholeheartedly wished him good health and a long life.

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N. KOREA/FOREIGN RELATIONS

WPK SENDS MESSAGES TO FOREIGN POLITICAL PARTIES

Portuguese Socialist Party

SK062353 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2212 GMT 6 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--The Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea on October 5 sent a message of greetings to Mario Soares upon his reelection as secretary-general of the Socialist Party of Portugal.

The message says:

The Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea extends felicitations to you upon your reelection as secretary-general of the Socialist Party of Portugal.

Believing that the relations between our two parties would grow stronger in accordance with the common idea of independence, peace and friendship, we take this opportunity of wishing you success in your work.

Peruvian Communist Party

SK062349 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2210 GMT 6 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--The Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea on October 7 sent a message of greetings to the Central Committee of the Peruvian Communist Party on the 55th anniversary of the founding of the party.

The message says:

On the occasion of the 55th anniversary of the founding of the Peruvian Communist Party the Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea extends warm congratulations and greetings to your party Central Committee and the entire membership of your party.

Believing that the relations between our two parties would develop more favourably in the future, we take this opportunity of wishing you success in your struggle for the country's independent development and for the democratic rights of the working people.

British Labor Party

SK090907 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0846 GMT 9 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 9 (KCNA)--The Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea sent a message of greetings on October 6 to Neil Kinnock upon his election as leader of the Labour Party of Britain.

The message says:

The Central Committee of the Workers' Party of Korea extends felicitations to you for your election as leader of your party at its congress which was held some time ago.

Believing that the relations between our two parties will develop more favourably in accordance with the common idea of independence, friendship and peace, we take this opportunity to wish you greater success in your future work for the independent development of Britain and for world peace and security.

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N. KOREA/FOREIGN RELATIONS

BRIEFS

EGYPTIAN DEFENSE MINISTER GREETED--Pyongyang, October 6 (KCNA)--General O Chin-u, minister of people's armed forces, sent a message of greetings to Army Marshal Mohamed 'Abd al-Khalim Abu Ghazala, minister of defence and military production of the Arab Republic of Egypt, on the occasion of the Army Day of the ARE. The message expresses the belief that the friendly and cooperative relations between the peoples and armies of Korea and Egypt would further consolidate and develop in conformity with the idea of independence, friendship and peace. [Text] [SK061151 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1050 GMT 6 Oct 83]

HO TAM GREETES GDR COUNTERPART--Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--Foreign Minister Ho Tam sent a message of greetings to Oskar Fischer, foreign minister of the German Democratic Republic, on the occasion of the 34th anniversary of the founding of the GDR. [Text] [SK070437 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0343 GMT 7 Oct 83]

SPA CHAIRMAN GREETES GDR COUNTERPART--Pyongyang, October 7 (KCNA)--Yang Hyong-sop, chairman of the Standing Committee of the Supreme People's Assembly, sent a message of greetings to Horst Sindermann, president of the People's Chamber of the German Democratic Republic, on the occasion of the 34th anniversary of the founding of the GDR. The message sincerely wishes the president and deputies of the People's Chamber of the GDR great successes in their efforts for the prosperity and development of the country and for peace and security in Europe. [Text] [SK070439 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0344 GMT 7 Oct 83]

PARTY FOR THAI JUDICIAL GROUP--Pyongyang, October 8 (KCNA)--The Committee for Cultural Relations With Foreign Countries arranged a party Friday evening at the People's Palace of Culture for the Thai judicial delegation headed by Bunyut Suchiva, chief justice of the Supreme Court, which arrived in Pyongyang on October 7. Present at the party were Kim Kwan-sop, chairman of the committee, O Mun-han, vice-chairman of the committee and chairman of the Korea-Thailand Friendship Association, and personages concerned. The party was addressed by Chairman Kim Kwan-sop and head of the delegation Bunyut Suchiva. The attendants drank toasts to the good health and long life of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, to the good health and long life of the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il and to the good health and long life of respected His Majesty King Phumiphon Adunyadet. [Text] [SK080501 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0430 GMT 8 Oct 83]

ENVOY TO CAR MEETS KOLINGBA--Pyongyang, October 8 (KCNA)--Andre Kolingba, chairman of the Military Committee for National Redressment and head of state of the Central African Republic, on October 2 met Korean ambassador to his country O Kyong-hwan. The ambassador conveyed cordial regards of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song to the head of state. The head of state expressed deep thanks for this and asked the ambassador to convey his wholehearted warm greetings to the great leader. Giving impressions of his Korean visit, he expressed boundless respect and reverence for the great leader. He said he fully supports the three principles of national reunification and the proposal for founding the Democratic Confederal Republic of Koryo reiterated by the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song in his speech at the banquet celebrating the 35th anniversary of the founding of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea. The talk took place in a friendly atmosphere. Present on the occasion was the head of the delegation of agro-tehnhicians of our country working in Central Africa. [Text] [SK080827 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0811 GMT 8 Oct 83]

UGANDA'S INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATED--Pyongyang, October 9 (KCNA)--A meeting marking the 21st anniversary of the National Day of the Republic of Uganda was held at the Chollima House of Culture on October 8. Placed on the platform of the meeting hall were a portrait of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song and a portrait of Ugandan President His Excellency A. Milton Obote. Present at the meeting were Kim Hui-su, vice-chairman of the Central Committee of the General Federation of Trade Unions and chairman of the Korea-Uganda Friendship Association, Kim Sang-chun, vice-chairman of the Committee for Cultural Relations With Foreign Countries, and working people in the city. Chairman Kim Hui-su made a speech at the meeting. A message of greetings to President A. Milton Obote was adopted at the meeting. [Text] [SK090923 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0859 GMT 9 Oct 83]

MALIAN FRIENDSHIP DELEGATION ARRIVES--Pyongyang, October 11 (KCNA)--A delegation of the Mali-Korea Friendship Association headed by its honorary president and Minister of Interior of the Republic of Mali Abdourahmane Maiga arrived in Pyongyang on October 10 by air. It was met at the airport by Yun Ki-chong, minister of finance and chairman of the Korea-Mali Friendship Association, and Kim Sang-chun, vice-chairman of the Committee for Cultural Relations With Foreign Countries and vice-chairman of the Korea-Mali Friendship Association. The Korea-Mali Friendship Association and the Committee for Cultural Relations With Foreign Countries gave a reception for the delegation yesterday. Speeches were made at the reception by Yun Ki-chong, minister of finance and chairman of the Korea-Mali Friendship Association, and Abdourahmane Maiga, head of the delegation. The attendants toasted the good health and long life of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song, the good health and long life of the dear leader Comrade Kim Chong-il and the good health and long life of respected His Excellency President Moussa Traore. [Text] [SK102353 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2208 GMT 10 Oct 83]

PAKISTANI TECHNICAL DELEGATION ARRIVES--Pyongyang, October 12 (KCNA)--A Pakistan scientific and technical delegation headed by Mohammad Masihuddin, vice-minister of science and technology of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan,

a friendship delegation of Amagasaki City, Japan, headed by Masahiko Kakei, member of the Amagasaki City Assembly of Japan, arrived in Pyongyang on October 11. Earlier, on October 10, Ramon Martinez Escanilla, professor of Autonomous University of Mexico, arrived in Pyongyang. The delegation of Santama Korean traders and industrialists in Japan headed by Cho Il-nam, vice-chairman of the Santama Southern District Association of Korean Traders and Industrialists in Japan, left Pyongyang on October 11 after visiting the socialist homeland. Meanwhile, the delegation of the Denmark-DPRK Friendship Association headed by Mette Tua Muller, secretary of the association, the delegation of Tokyo Council for Japan-Korea Solidarity headed by Toshimi Hujida, member of the Tokyo Metropolitan Assembly of Japan, the Indian delegation for the study of the chuche idea headed by Prof. and Dr. S. K. Srivastava, dean of a faculty of Banaras University of India, the men's basketball selection of the German Democratic Republic and the Polish water polo selection left here for home on the same day. [Text] [SK130646 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2203 GMT 11 Oct 83]

WPK ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED OVERSEAS--Pyongyang, October 12 (KCNA)--Colorful functions were recently held in various countries on the occasion of the 38th anniversary of the founding of the Workers' Party of Korea. A celebration meeting was held at the Burma-Korea Friendship Association, a Korean book, photo and handicraft exhibition in Raisio, Finland, a Korean book and photo exhibition at the Ghanaian National Committee of Youth Organisations and Korean photo exhibitions in Gimbi City and Nejo County, Ethiopia. Lectures on the subject "The Workers' Party of Korea Is an Ever-Victorious Revolutionary Party" were given in Gimbi City and Mendi County, Ethiopia. A ten-day Korean film show opened by the Malian National Union of Youth and Korean film shows were arranged at army units and district committees for defending revolution in Ouagadougou and Bobo cities, Upper Volta, and in various parts of Ethiopia. Korean films "The Sixth Congress of the Workers' Party of Korea," "30 Years of Glory Under the Banner of the Party," "Pyongyang Today," "The Flower Girl," "Sea of Blood," "Wolmi Island" and so on were screened there. A photo exhibition, film show and lecture were organised at the Zoological College of Somalia. [Text] [SK121056 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1040 GMT 12 Oct 83]

PAKISTANI SCIENTIFIC DELEGATION--Pyongyang, October 14 (KCNA)--Vice-Premier Kong Chin-tae on October 13 met and had a friendly talk with the Pakistan scientific and technical delegation headed by Mohammad Masihuddin, vice-minister of science and technology of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan. Present on the occasion were Vice-Chairman of the State Commission of Science and Technology Kim Ung Ho and Pakistan ambassador to our country Sultan Muhammad Dutta. [Text] [SK140026 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2210 GMT 13 Oct 83]

ENVOY TO EQUATORIAL GUINEA--Pyongyang, October 13 (KCNA)--Yi Chong-chong, Korean ambassador to Equatorial Guinea, paid a farewell call on Obiang Nguema Mbasogo, president of Equatorial Guinea, on October 7. The ambassador conveyed cordial regards of the great leader Comrade Kim Il-song to the president. The president expressed deep thanks for this and asked the ambassador to convey his wholehearted and warm greetings to the great

leader. He expressed satisfaction with the favourable development of the friendly and cooperative relations between Equatorial Guinea and Korea. He said the Equatorial Guinean people hope that the reunification of Korea will be realised by the Korean people themselves without outside interference and will as ever firmly stand behind the Korean people striving for the reunification of the country. The talk took place in a friendly atmosphere. Present on the occasion was the secretary general of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Equatorial Guinea. [Text] [SK130705 Pyongyang KCNA in English 2206 GMT 13 Oct 83]

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N. KOREA/INTERNATIONAL COMMENTARY

DAILY DENOUNCES CANADIAN DELEGATE'S REMARKS

SK080445 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0425 GMT 8 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 8 (KCNA)--The utterances made by the Canadian delegate defending the old international economic order at a meeting in New York are precisely brigandish remarks claiming that the Third World countries cannot have the equal rights with the imperialist countries but must be obedient to them and reconcile themselves indefinitely to unbridled exploitation and plunder by them, says NODONG SINMUN today in a commentary.

The author of the commentary titled "Defender of Devils" says:

The call of delegates of non-aligned countries at the meeting for smashing the old international economic order was a voice of the times and an expression of their unanimous will.

Entirely just is the collective struggle of the non-aligned countries for the establishment of a new equitable international economic order.

But the Canadian delegate carped on this just struggle to fully reveal his true colour as a dirty servant of the imperialist monopolies. It was not fortuitous that he was branded as a "defender of devils" at the meeting.

He must realise that the more he works to curry favour with the imperialists trying to maintain and consolidate the old international economic order, the more fully he shows his true nature as a servant of imperialism and political charlatan.

No matter how desperately such fellows as the Canadian delegate may try to stem the powerful tide of the times, the just struggle of the Third World people for the establishment of a new international economic order will gain in strength and scope as the moon moves on no matter how viciously a dog may bark at it.

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N. KOREA/INTERNATIONAL COMMENTARY

DAILIES OBSERVE UGANDA'S INDEPENDENCE DAY

SK090919 Pyongyang KCNA in English 0853 GMT 9 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 9 (KCNA)--Dailies here today carry articles marking the 21st anniversary of the independence of Uganda.

A signed article of NODONG SINMUN notes that the independence of Uganda opened an important phase in the history of struggle of her people for independence, sovereignty and new life.

The article goes on:

In the past the Ugandan people struggled to do away with the aftermath of the imperialists' colonial rule and build a new prospering Uganda.

Such struggle of theirs took a road of new development from 1980 when it was guided by President A. Milton Obote.

The imperialists and domestic reactionary forces which dislike it are viciously manoeuvring to hold in check the advance of Uganda, taking advantage of the complex situation temporarily created in the country.

But, the Ugandan people are consolidating national independence and sovereignty, smashing at every step their dastardly moves. The country's stability and national unity are being achieved.

Our people are sincerely rejoiced over the favourably developing situation in Uganda.

Korea and Uganda have formed the bonds of friendship in the common struggle against imperialism and for independence. These relations are being made closer since the visit of President A. Milton Obote to our country in December 1981.

We believe that the relations of friendship and cooperation between Korea and Uganda will grow stronger and develop in the future.

Our people sincerely hope that the Ugandan people will register new victory in their just cause.

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N. KOREA/INTERNATIONAL COMMENTARY

MINJU CHOSON ON INDEPENDENCE DAY OF FIJI

SK101629 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1536 GMT 10 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 10 (KCNA)--MINJU CHOSON today in its article dedicated to the 13th anniversary of the independence of Fiji says that her independence was an important event which opened a broad road of building a new life to the Fiji people.

An author of the article says:

After the independence the Fiji people have made progress in their efforts for clearing away the consequences of the imperialists' colonial rule and building the national economy and culture.

The Korean people sincerely rejoice at and congratulate the successes achieved by the Fiji people in their endeavours for building a new life.

Korea and Fiji are linked together by bonds of friendship.

The opening of diplomatic relations between the two countries in April 1975 marked an important occasion in developing the friendly relations between the Korean and Fiji peoples.

Our people will as ever make all efforts to strengthen friendship and solidarity with the Fiji people.

Believing that the friendly and cooperative relations between Korea and Fiji will grow stronger and develop in keeping with the idea of independence, friendship and peace, the Korean people wish the Fiji people greater success in their endeavours for the independent development and prosperity of the country.

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N. KOREA/INTERNATIONAL COMMENTARY

NODONG SINMUN ON SOUTH AFRICA'S NAMIBIA POLICY

SK111053 Pyongyang KCNA in English 1037 GMT 11 Oct 83

[Text] Pyongyang, October 11 (KCNA)--NODONG SINMUN Tuesday comes out with an article hitting at the fabrication of a "State Council" in Namibia by the South African racist clique some time ago under the pretext of instituting a "new constitution."

The signed article reads in part:

The fabrication of the "State Council" in Namibia by the South African racists indicates that their racist rule is shaking violently in that country.

Namibia is now being swept by a furious flame of the struggle of the people to put an end to the colonial rule of the racist clique and win national independence and sovereignty. The Namibian people, under the guidance of the South West Africa People's Organisation, are dealing serious military and political blows to the racist clique all over the country.

Hence the efforts of the South African racists to shore up the colonial rule in its crisis by framing up such puppet tool as "State Council."

But it is not a brainchild of the Botha clique. It is an offspring of the U.S. imperialists' criminal intrigues to maintain the bastion of racism in Southern Africa.

The U.S. imperialists are framing up a hundred and one intrigues to bar a peaceful solution of the Namibian question, while arming the South African racists and driving them into "mopping up" of guerrillas and suppression of people.

This proves that they are the backstage manipulator of the racist rule in Namibia and the very one making the Namibian question complicated.

The more intensified the base machinations of the Botha clique to maintain the colonial rule, the wider the struggle of the Namibian people against it will expand, and it will lead the racial rule to final destruction.

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